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B.E.F. Evacuation from Greece

Units at Alexandria, Says Rome Report

ROME newspapers state that the first contingents of the British Expeditionary Force in Greece have disembarked at Alexandria, says a Rome despatch to Vichy.

Mr. P. C. Spender, Vice-President of the Australian Federal Executive Council, said yesterday that "the evacuation of certain of our troops from Greece has begun, and, so far as this has proceeded, it has been successful." He declined to confirm or deny American reports that the majority of the Anzacs had been safely evacuated with their weapons.

German military despatches reaching Berlin yesterday said that British losses in the evacuation of Greece were already greater than those suffered in the withdrawal from Dunkirk. The Germans estimated that they sank 287,000 tons of British shipping in Greek waters during the past eleven days.

M. Tsouderos, the Greek Premier, has proclaimed the determination of Greece to carry on the fight "without flinching."

The German communiqué yesterday claimed that the Luftwaffe had sunk a British cruiser, damaged two others, sunk a merchantman of 5,000 tons and damaged twelve other merchant craft in the waters between the Piræus, the port of Athens, and Crete.

Order to Save Men

In announcing yesterday "the evacuation of certain Australian troops from Greece," Mr. Spender, the Australian Minister for the Army, said, according to a Sydney dispatch to the official French News Agency quoted by the Press Association, that "heavy losses in material must be expected because Lieutenant-General Sir Thomas Blamey received orders above all to save his men."

Nine hundred British were taken prisoner when German parachute troops occupied Corinth on Saturday, according to information received by "authoritative circles" in Berlin last night, says the Press Association. "Some of the men were so taken by surprise at the appearance of the German parachute troops," it is stated, "that they had to be hauled out of houses in the town."

Observers declared that the "major military action in Greece" had been completed.

A German War Correspondent who flew over Athens reported yesterday that the Greek flag was flying over the Acropolis side by side with the swastika "as an eloquent expression that we honour Greece."

There are few details of the occupation of Athens, apart from the official communiqué, but Press accounts said that the city was not subjected to assault.

Reports of bombing at Piraeus are explained in Berlin on the ground that British, Australian and New Zealand troops attempted to embark there.

The Italian *communiqué* yesterday claimed that Air Force and Blackshirt Battalions have occupied the island of Corfu, off the Greek Adriatic coast.

TO THE LAST

A German War Correspondent said yesterday that the German occupation of Athens was a three-hour task, with troops approaching from all sides, while the air force droned overhead. The British mined the airport, he said, and offered other last-minute resistance.

The intensive harassing of the retreat across the sea to Egypt and Crete was the task on which the German Air Force concentrated after the occupation of Athens and the establishment of a foothold on the Peloponnesian peninsula, it was stated in Berlin.

FUNDS FROZEN

President Roosevelt, in an Executive Order yesterday, froze Greek credits and cash in the United States, thus keeping the Germans or any other nation from taking Greek funds.

Greek assets in the United States amount to between $40,000,000 and $50,000,000 (£10,000,000 and £12,500,000).

Countries invaded by Germany have frozen assets in America of over $4,500,000,000 (£1,125,000,000).

The Wilhelmstrasse said yesterday that the recent meeting between Herr von Ribbentrop and Count Ciano had "as its exclusive object the preparation of the reorganisation of Europe," states the Italian News Agency, quoted by Press Association.

TWO ISLANDS AS RAMPARTS

M. Tsouderos, the Greek Premier, said yesterday at Canea, Crete, that destiny had chosen two islands as the last but worthy ramparts of the free peoples of Europe—the great island of Britain and the great island of the Hellenes.

"With constancy, courage and determination, the peoples of these islands are fighting to-day the supreme battle of liberty," he said. "A black flood coming from a country which has deified violence has swept over Europe. Humanity has known in the past similar barbaric invasions, but the civilisation of free men has always prevailed.

"In the present almost superhuman struggle the King, who is the embodiment of the thoughts, aspirations and decisions of our nation, is here among us. His presence is the symbol of the national rebirth and unity of Greece.

"A moving spectacle of resistance to the aggressors has been presented by even small islands like Lemnos and Samothrace, and a splendid example has been set by the Greek people as a whole in fighting for six months against an Empire, whose forces their troops succeeded in beating.

"The same troops fought for twenty days against the German aggressor and his crushing machines, and were defeated only after epic battles, which drew the admiration of friend and foe.

"What now remains for us to do? The fight must be continued in our little islands without flinching. The King and his Government are here among you for the supreme task of the defence of Crete and the honour of Greece.

"Sacrifices do not count. We have come to this land of liberty and courage in order that we should not allow ourselves to be enslaved, and to continue the fight. I am certain that we shall soon be back in Athens, and that Greece will not only be free, but the greater because of her struggles."

TURKEY AWAITING DEVELOPMENTS

A *Times* message from Ankara (copyright by the Press Association) says that although there is the feeling among the public that Turkey is probably next on the German list for aggression, official circles await Herr von Papen's return from Berlin without, apparently, any undue anxiety. The wind blowing from Berlin has been fair—at any rate until now Germany, it is stated, has no claims on the Straits. Further, Germany, it is stated considers the war in the Balkans to be finished.

More significant, perhaps, says the *Times*, is the fact that German troops are moving back into Bulgaria from Yugoslavia, although not for the moment in formidable numbers. The battle of Greece is regarded as the first round in the German campaign to drive the British from the Mediterranean. It has been lost, but the damage inflicted on the German military machine largely offsets German strategical gains, and the Turks keep in mind that the Mediterranean, although important, is not the main theatre of war. Opinion as reflected in the newspapers seems to be that the next round may be fought at the western, instead of the eastern, end of the Mediterranean—that is to say, Gibraltar.

SYRIA AS BASE ?

It is supposed says *The Times* message that Germany will try to get the use of Syria as a base of operations. Having obtained that, the Germans might reckon that Turkey, seeing herself encircled, would permit the passage of troops. Germany would then have reached the Near East without having to fight Turkey and would have got over the difficulties created by British naval supremacy in the Eastern Mediterranean. However, there is no indication that Turkey is willing to lend herself to German design.

TO DISCUSS LEASE AND LEND

MR. J. M. KEYNES LEAVING FOR WASHINGTON

Mr. J. M. Keynes, the economist, is going to Washington at the request of Sir Kingsley Wood, British Chancellor of the Exchequer, to confer with the United States Administration and the British Supply Council in North America on the operation of the Lease-and-Lend Act and other related matters.

The official announcement of the visit states that it will be brief.

The British Supply Council deals with all questions of policy concerning supplies and representations to be made to the United States Administration.

CATTLE DISEASE AFFECTS MARCH TRADE

The effects of the outbreak of foot-and-mouth disease during the month of March are strikingly illustrated in the returns of external trade for that month which were issued yesterday.

The export of live animals in March are shown as valued at £70,331. In the same month last year these were valued at £1,295,547.

In the same period the imports of live animals was valued at £5,070, as compared with £25,519 in March, 1940.

The value of the total imports in the month is given as £2,565,694, and exports as £1,980,454, while the adverse balance was £585,240. In April of last year the corresponding figures were: Imports, £5,066,126; exports, £2,521,020; adverse balance £2,545,106.

FOOT-AND-MOUTH DISEASE AGAIN

Two cases of foot-and-mouth disease were confirmed yesterday in the Tullaroan area of County Kilkenny.

Although there has recently been some improvement in the disease position, there must be no relaxation of precautions by stockowners and others, says the Department of Agriculture. Everyone should be careful to avoid any contacts which would make for the spread of infection.

An Ankara despatch says the Pact with Germany was ratified by the Turkish Grand National Assembly yesterday.

The Assembly also gave a second reading to bills relating to trade and clearing agreements with various other countries, including Britain.—(Reuter.)

OVER £10,000

LIST CLOSES TO-DAY

The "Irish Times" Fund for the assistance of the Northern refugees, which closes to-day, has reached the total of

£10,015 8s. 10d.

Subscriptions received yesterday amounted to

£942 2s. 1d.

These subscriptions included one of £500 from the Irish Banks' Standing Committee and a number of collections made in churches in many parts of the country on last Sunday.

Subscriptions, which should reach us not later than to-night, may be addressed to the Refugee Fund, "Irish Times," Dublin.

A list of subscribers will be found in Page 5.

R.A.F. RAIDS ON GERMANY

COLOGNE AND EMDEN BOMBED

IT is learned in London that in the course of daylight operations by the Bomber Command a daring and successful attack was made on Emden yesterday by one of the new Stirling heavy bombers. This aircraft came down to a low altitude, dropped a heavy load of bombs, and then opened machine-gun fire from a height of 1,500 feet, states the Press Association.

FACTORY AND CAMP

An Air Ministry *communiqué* issued yesterday stated :—

"In daylight on Sunday aircraft of the Bomber Command successfully bombed a factory west of Cologne and a military camp near the same city. In occupied Holland the docks at Ijmuiden and the aerodrome at De Kooy were also attacked.

"Off the coast of Brittany an enemy patrol vessel was hit with bombs. It was left on fire and listing heavily.

"An offensive patrol of Fighter Command aircraft over Holland on Sunday machine gunned gun positions and a supply train. None of our aircraft is missing from these operations."

PATROL VESSEL HIT

Describing Sunday's daylight attacks the Air Ministry News Service states :

"Other aircraft swept the French coast for enemy shipping. An enemy patrol vessel of about 1,250 tons was sighted a few miles south-west of St. Mathieu Point and there was an immediate engagement. The ship put up a vigorous defence, which continued until a heavy bomb exploded amidships."

A German bomber was destroyed during Sunday night's raids on Britain, which were mainly directed against Portsmouth. It was reported that another raider was shot down, but this is still unconfirmed.

A member of the crew of a Heinkel III. shot down by a British vessel off the east coast of Britain early yesterday was reported by his comrades to have committed suicide, the Press Association states. The crew of four were seen to take to their dinghy, but only three were picked up. One of them told the authorities that the other airman took his own life.

The second German bomber appeared to be damaged by gun-fire when it flew low over a south-east England coast town.

GERMAN WARSHIPS BOMBED

ATTACKED OFF THE DUTCH COAST

Sweeping low over two German destroyers against a heavy storm of anti-aircraft fire, Coastal Command Blenheims saw their bombs strike home on the warships off the Dutch coast yesterday morning, says the Press Association. A great volume of smoke was seen spouting from one of the destroyers, which came to a standstill.

"From this gallant attack," states a British Air Ministry *communiqué*, "four of our aircraft are missing."

German seamen rescued some members of the crews of the four British Blenheim bombers which were shot down during their attack on two German destroyers off the Dutch coast, according to the German News Agency.

LIVE-STOCK EXPORTS

EARLY RESUMPTION POSSIBLE

The Minister for Agriculture has made suggestions which may make it possible to resume live-stock exports on a restricted basis at an early date. This information was given at a special meeting of the Fat Stock Exporters' Association Council, when a report was presented on a recent interview between representatives of the Association and the Minister. The Minister told the deputation that the restrictions which present conditions rendered necessary would not be continued an hour longer than safety demanded, and that appropriate action would be taken with all other authorities as soon as he felt that he could reasonably do so.

Mr. Charles Ross (Chairman) said that inquiries made in Great Britain showed that there was a keen demand for Irish fat stock.

COUNTRY'S ESSENTIAL SUPPLIES

MR. LEMASS'S REVIEW

SHIPS AND WHEAT BOUGHT

THE purchase of ships and wheat was announced by Mr. Sean Lemass, Minister of Supplies, at the Catholic Commercial Club last night.

The Minister was more optimistic with regard to the supply of wheat in the present year, and explained the "great and sustained" efforts that are being made to bring in supplies from foreign countries. They had bought and paid for, he said, thousands of tons of wheat. Some of that wheat had completed all but the last and critical stage of the journey here.

Mr. Lemass hinted at measures at present under consideration by the Government, which would enable the poor to obtain appropriate supplies of home-produced food, and suggested that the financing of these proposals would result in those with means and in secure employment contributing more of their resources.

He urged employers not to dismiss workers, even though their retention meant surplus staffs, and he asked trade unions to have as their main concern the keeping of their members in employment.

TEA AND NEUTRALITY

Mr. Lemass began by speaking of the present difficulties and how people had been shaken out of their complacency by events. Some of the people who had been most impervious to warnings of coming difficulties, including a few politicians and newspaper editors, were showing unmistakeable signs of the "jitters." They should get a grip of themselves.

Dealing with the position in regard to tea, the Minister said that some time ago, when he announced a reduction in the tea supply, his statement was followed the next day by a leading article in the *Irish Times*, which said that the Irish people had to choose between a shortage of supplies and a maintenance of neutrality. He did not believe that that was a fair statement of the choice before them, if they had a choice. He did not believe that their supply difficulties would end if they abandoned their neutrality, but if the *Irish Times* had stated the issue fairly he wanted the *Irish Times* and everyone else to know clearly what the decision of the Irish people was. Their sovereign right to the control of all their own territory and to determine the national policy with primary regard to their own interests would not be bartered for tea or flour or petrol or coal or anything else.

SHIPPING PLANS

The Irish people were not so unmindful of, or unworthy of, the sacrifices of their fathers in the cause of Irish liberty that they would surrender the fruits of their efforts to avoid a temporary inconvenience. Occasionally one met people who expressed the view that "the screw is being tightened on us," that our supply and shipping difficulties were being created or enhanced to force a change of policy or a change of Government here. The suggestion in the *Irish Times* statement was clearly that their supplies were being deliberately curtailed to force them to abandon neutrality. He did not know what authority the *Irish Times* thought it had for its suggestion, but he wished to make it quite clear that that suggestion had not come to them from any more reliable or more authoritative source. He believed that their difficulties were an inevitable outcome of the war, and would end only when the war ended.

Mr. Lemass went on to say that the problem of bringing supplies from overseas was mainly one of transportation, although there was later a problem of finance. Over the Atlantic were millions of tons of wheat and other grain urgently needed on this side, but in between was the war-swept ocean, littered with wrecks of ships. They had bought and paid for thousands of tons of that wheat and they had made many plans for getting it over here. They had purchased ships for its direct transportation, and they were making those ships seaworthy, fueling and manning them. Whether they would make the voyage safely only time would tell. To bring all the grain they needed would require thirty ships in constant service. They could not hope to get that number. They had made plans for the transshipment of wheat from distant countries to neutral ports near home, where it could be picked up and brought home by smaller Irish ships, which could not make the direct voyage. Some of that wheat has completed all but the last stage of its journey, but the last stage was the critical one.

GREAT EFFORTS, BUT—

That applied also to other supplies, but wheat must have priority over all other commodities. While it was well that the people should know that great efforts were being made to bring supplies to these shores, no reliance must be placed on their being successful. If they succeeded their situation would be easier for the time being. If they failed they could only fall back on their own resources. They might have to do without tea and other important foodstuffs, but they could produce sufficient healthy food from their own soil if they exerted themselves sufficiently. If the food was produced it could be distributed.

Mr. Lemass said that they had a small reserve of tea, and, as there was a possibility that their tea supplies might cease altogether for a period he had decided to keep that small reserve intact. If they could import any quantity direct it might be possible to increase the ration for a period. The only equitable system of rationing appeared to be the flat rate ration, although the Government was by no means wedded to it if a better system could be agreed on.

FLOUR POSITION

With regard to flour, the position seemed to be reasonably secure for the present, and with strict economy in its use they could, with the 95 per cent. extraction and present distribution, maintain an all-wheat loaf until the harvest was in without relying on or receiving any of the wheat they were trying to bring from abroad, and subject to no catastrophe happening to destroy their stocks. It might be necessary to resort to an admixture with other cereals after the harvest, as it did not appear that the quantity coming into the granaries would be sufficient to supply their needs for a whole year.

People who gave flour to pigs should realise the crime they were committing against their neighbours.

PETROL SITUATION EASIER

The petrol situation had eased for the coming month, and it had been decided to give a small ration to private car owners. In regard to petrol, it was impossible to satisfy everybody, and his decision to give petrol to private owners had been influenced as much by the many hard cases among private car owners as by the plight of the garage-keepers and their employés, to whom the disappearance of the private car meant a complete cessation of livelihood.

It must be understood that the availability of extra petrol supplies for May did not mean that the situation would be the same for June or any later period. In practice they were living from hand to mouth It was not impossible that petrol supplies might cease entirely for periods, in which case the limited supplies available would have to be retained for essential services.

COST OF FOOD

GOVERNMENT'S NEW MEASURES

Speaking of the increased cost of food, Mr. Lemass said that while there may be cases of profiteering, and these must be eliminated, the primary cause of higher food prices was higher costs of production on Irish farms, and that factor could not be dealt with by making Government Orders fixing lower prices. The Government accepted the responsibility of taking effective action to ensure that those who were on or near the border-line separating frugal sufficiency from destitution would be enabled to obtain appropriate supplies of home-produced food. Measures to that end were being worked out, and would be announced by the Ministers whose Departments were directly concerned.

If the crisis should deepen these measures might have to be widened in their scope. The financing of the Government's proposals would increase the strain on the nation's financial resources, and those with means, or whose employment was secure would have to contribute to a greater extent of their resources to help those who must look to the Government for support. He hoped they would have the grace to thank God that they had it to give.

UNEMPLOYMENT

In regard to unemployment, Mr. Lemass said that the problem was causing the Government the deepest concern. It would be foolish to pretend that it could be dealt with by Government work schemes alone, but to the maximum extent that such schemes could be undertaken without supplies of imported materials or implements they would be organised. The necessary preliminary plans were now being made. This work could not cover all classes of the unemployed, and if the Government was to be effective in its efforts to minimise the social consequences of this economic upheaval, it must have the fullest co-operation, the active conscious co-operation and not merely the passive goodwill of all sections of employers, trade unions and of social organisations.

He urged employers, even if trade was falling off or supplies were short, not to dismiss one worker until every other expedient was resorted to. They should carry on even with surplus staffs measured by peace-time standards. It was in their interests to do so, and it was certainly in the national interests. He urged on trade unions that they should deliberately decide that the maintenance of the maximum number of their members at work should be their main, if not their sole, concern during the period of the emergency, taking precedence over all other aims. Overtime should be eliminated where possible, as it was an alternative to the employment of additional staffs. He urged younger unemployed men to offer their services to the Army or Construction Corps.

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PETROL FOR MAY

The Minister for Supplies will issue licences for a limited amount of petrol to owners of motor cycles and private cars in the month of May on the following basis :—

	Gallons.
Motor cycles	2
Cars 8 to 10 h.p.	4
Over 10 h.p. to 16 h.p.	6
Exceeding 16 h.p. ...	10

Clergymen, doctors and veterinary surgeons will receive these allowances in addition to the licences on the same basis for April.

SIX KILLED

BOYS JUMP FROM TRAIN ON FIRE

TWO SONS OF BELGIAN PREMIER DEAD

ONE of its coaches bursting into flames while taking over a hundred boys of Ampleforth College, York, back to school after the Easter holidays, the mid-day London-Newcastle express, its brakes full on, screamed to a standstill near Claypole, Lincs, yesterday. Boys were seen to be jumping from the train.

Trapped inside the blazing compartments, six of the boys died from burns, while seven of those who jumped from the train are in hospital with burns.

Two of the dead are the 14 years old and the 16 years old sons of M. Pierlot, the Belgian Prime Minister, and another of his sons, aged 13, is among the injured.

A special locomotive brought doctors from Newark, who quickly rendered first-aid to the boys, sixty-four of whom were in the coach which caught fire.

An official statement by the L.N.E.R. said that the main line was blocked for over three hours, and that the cause of the fire is under inquiry.

There were 101 boys on the train returning to the college for the summer term. A master, the Rev. H. Dunstan Pozzi, was with them.

When the train reached Claypole, between Grantham and Newark, about 3.30 p.m., it was noticed that one of the coaches was on fire.

The communication was pulled and several of the boys jumped out.

It is understood that some of the six killed were trapped in the blazing coach.

The history of Ampleforth College is identified with the English Benedictine community of St. Laurence's, Ampleforth, which exiled at the Reformation, settled in Lorraine, and were expelled from France at the time of the revolution. They returned to England and resumed monastic and educational work at Ampleforth in 1802.

HEAVY RAID ON S.W. ENGLISH TOWN

An attack on a South-West English coast town lasted for some hours last night and was over a wide area. No reports of heavy casualties had been received by early to-day.

Bombs were also reported at another town in the south-west and on the south coast.

German raiders were reported last night also over districts in East Anglia, where a few bombs were dropped.

The attack on the south-west coast town developed on a heavy scale for a time. Raiders dropped high explosives and fire bombs in face of an intense barrage.

Dessie Captured by British

Reported Fall After Heavy Fight

THE British capture of Dessie, says an Associated Press message from Cairo last night, followed a few hours' tough fighting around Kombolchia Pass, fourteen miles south of the town, informed sources in Cairo said.

The pass was heavily fortified and strongly defended until the Fascists finally broke and withdrew rapidly. The British forces, reaching the summit of the pass, sighted Italian reinforcements coming up and charged down the road, turning the Italian forward move into a precipitate retreat.

The Italo-German forces which crossed the Egyptian border on Saturday took posession of Sollum, military sources said to-day, the telegram adds.

Sollum "Believed" Taken

Following the enemy thrust across Libya at the week-end, it was authoritatively stated in Cairo to-night, says a Press Association message last night, that the Egyptian frontier port of Sollum was "believed" to be in enemy hands. A *communiqué* from British G.H.Q. said earlier that little or no further progress had been made by enemy detachments which had penetrated five or six miles across the frontier on Saturday evening.

Light elements of a well-known British armoured division were once again in contact with the enemy.

An official *communiqué* from Cairo on Monday stated :—

"**Sollum.**—Yesterday enemy detachments which had penetrated five or six miles across the frontier on the previous evening made little or no progress. Light elements of a well-known British armoured division are once again in contact with the enemy.

"**Abyssinia.**—On Saturday last the important centre of Dessie was occupied by our column which had advanced from the south. Details of men and equipment captured are not yet available.

"In all other areas operations continue satisfactorily."

CYRENAICA BATTLE

ROME REPORT

PRESS ASSOCIATION.

ROME, Monday.

A three-hour battle, in which British forces tried to "encircle the Axis forces occupying Sollum, Capuzzo and Bardia, and reach the coast at Bardia and Tobruk," is reported by a special correspondent of the Official Italian News Agency to-day.

A strong British column, he says, composed of 60 heavy and medium tanks, numerous armoured cars and artillery, attacked the Italian and German advanced guards south of Capuzzo, after laying down a heavy artillery barrage.

"Immediately the British tanks and tropps began to approach our lines the Axis troops reacted violently."

"Bombing and fighter 'planes, artillery, tanks and troops attacked, and the ensuing violent battle, which lasted three hours, ended with the British being completely checked. They were forced to retire to their lines with heavy losses."

R.A.F. REPORTS

The R.A.F. Middle East *communiqué* last night stated :—

"**Cyrenaica**—Yesterday the R.A.F. continued to hamper enemy movements by bombing and machine-gunning troops and transports. At Benina fighters machine-gunned a number of JU 52 troop carriers while they were embarking troops on the ground. One enemy aircraft was destroyed by fire, and the remainder were badly damaged.

"**Abyssinia.**—Yesterday our fighters machine-gunned and badly damaged a number of enemy motor transport vehicles at Allomata and set fire to a petrol dump on the landing ground. On the previous day a convoy of motor transport which was carrying enemy troops was attacked. Considerable damage was done and heavy casualties were inflicted.

"Aircraft of the South African Air Force bombed and machine-gunned military buildings at Gimma. From the above operations all our aircraft returned safely."

"NO FALSE PEACE" FOR BRITAIN

MINISTER'S REPLY TO COL. LINDBERGH

WASHINGTON, Monday.

"Britain will make no negotiated, false and inconclusive peace, because to do so would be yellow," said Sir Gerald Campbell, British Minister in Washington, addressing the International Chamber of Commerce to-day.

Sir Gerald Campbell's remarks were a reply to Colonel Lindbergh. He did not mention the Colonel by name, but he quoted from his recent address to the America First Committee.

"In a speech in New York on Wednesday," he said, "a sneer—or smear"—was levelled at England, "who had promised all those nations armed assistance that she could not send. We know that she misinformed them."

"That is untrue," the Minister continued. "The size of the B.E.F. sent to France was fixed by the French General Staff, and in honour bound those troops were sent to defend Belgium, as others had been sent to defend Norway and Greece."

"Military blunders, perhaps, but so was the charge of the Light Brigade at Balaclava, and we all learned at school how proud the British Army and the British people were of the Light Brigade."

Sir Gerald quoted the unamed speaker as saying that England hoped to persuade the United States to send another American Expeditionary Force. Mr. Churchill, he said, had stated in the clearest way that England does not want men from the United States.

The U.S. dredger, Jamaica Bay, arrived at Antigua, Leeward Islands, yesterday, to dredge the Parham Harbour for use as a United States naval air base. Antigua is one of the British possessions in which the U.S. was granted the right to have such bases.—(Press Association.)

FOOT AND MOUTH DISEASE

THE DUTY OF THE PUBLIC

Foot and Mouth disease continues to cause serious loss of valuable live stock and the necessary restrictions on movements of animals are inevitably dislocating meat supplies and the live stock industry generally.

All members of the community should, therefore, in their own interest, and as a duty to the State, do all in their power to assist in stamping out the disease.

Help may be given by farmers and stock owners in the following ways :—

(1) By keeping a daily watch on their own animals and reporting any suspicious symptoms to the nearest Garda Barracks without delay.

(2) By strictly avoiding contact with other owners' animals and lands and instructing their employees to do likewise.

(3) By preventing other persons from visiting their lands or coming in contact with their animals.

The general public can help the Department by keeping off pasture lands, especially in scheduled areas, and by keeping dogs under control in the neighbourhood of infected premises. Entry on lands on which animals are located should be strictly avoided.

SYMPTOMS OF THE DISEASE

The first symptoms are lameness or slavering at the mouth. In affected cattle salivation is generally accompanied by a smacking or sucking sound—a very characteristic symptom of the disease.

Sudden lameness in cattle, sheep or pigs should arouse strong suspicion.

Stock owners failing to report the existence of the disease with all practicable speed are liable to heavy penalties.

Where an outbreak is promptly reported, full compensation will be paid for all animals slaughtered on account of the disease.

Issued by the Department of Agriculture.

Births, Marriages and Deaths

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BIRTHS.

GRIMSON—April 19, 1941, at "Lisieux" Nursing Home, 7 Herbert place, Dublin, to Gladys, wife of Edward T. Grimson, 53 Broughton street, Dundalk, a son.

HENDY—April 16, 1941, at Mrs. Dobbs' Nursing Home, Mount Merrion, to Olive, wife of A. W. Hendy, M.P.S.I., 31 The Rise, Mount Merrion Park, a son.

O'REILLY—April 22, 1941, to Kathleen, wife of J. P. O'Reilly, The Square, Rathdowney, a son.

MARRIAGE.

CURTIS and CHERRY—April 16, 1941, at St. Thomas' Church, Ballinakill, by the Very Revd. Dean Stevenson; John C. (R.A.F.), youngest son of the late J. C. Curtis and Mrs. Leigh, St. Declan's terrace, Waterford, and Nan, youngest daughter of Mr. J. McN. and Mrs. Cherry, 4 South Parade, Waterford.

DEATHS.

BARTER—April 24, 1941, at Inchiquin, Killeagh, Co. Cork, John B. Barter (Senr.). Funeral took place on 26th April to Innishannon.

BENNETT—April 28, 1941, at her residence, Farney street, Carrickmacross, Margaret, dearly-loved wife of Christopher Bennett, Merchant. Deeply regretted by her sorrowing husband and family. Not my will, but Thine, O Lord. Funeral from her residence at 3 o'clock (S.T.) to-morrow (Wednesday).

BENNETT—April 28, 1941, at Shannonvale, Clonakilty, County Cork, Sarah Evangeline (Eva), daughter of the late Joseph and Mrs. Bennett. Funeral to-morrow (Wednesday), 12 noon. No flowers, by request. "For ever with the Lord."

GRAINGER—April 26, 1941, William, son of the late William and Margaret Grainger, Grangefield, Craigavad, Co. Down. House and funeral private.

McLOUGHLIN—April 27, 1941, at her residence, New road, Moneenroe, Castlecomer, Rebecca Georgina, wife of W. E. McLoughlin. Funeral to-day (Tuesday), 4 o'clock (new time), to Colliery Church.

NIVEN—April 28, 1941, at a private nursing home, Caroline R. Niven, of 54 Wellington road, elder daughter of the late Frederick W. Niven, Managing Director of the Royal Bank of Ireland. Funeral strictly private. No flowers, by request. "Peace, perfect peace."

PERSSE—April 28, 1941, at a private nursing home, Galway, Madeline Beatrice, daughter of the late Burton R. P. Persse, J.P., D.L., M.F.H. of the Galway Blazers, of Moyode Castle, County Galway. "At Rest." Remains will be removed to St. Nicholas' Church this (Tuesday) evening at 6 o'clock. Funeral from St. Nicholas' Church to New Cemetery, Galway, 12 noon, to-morrow (Wednesday).

ROBINSON—April 27, 1941, at 28 Finglas road, Frederick H., dearly-loved youngest son of the late William A. Robinson. Funeral to Glasnevin Cemetery, after Service at All Saints' Church, Grangegorman, at 9.15 a.m. to-morrow (Wednesday).

STEDMOND—April 23, 1941, at Coolcullen, Bagenalstown, Thomas Stedmond, aged 83 years. "We have no abiding city here."

WILSON—April 22, 1941, in London, after a short illness, Mary A., widow of the late Hugh Wilson, Blackrock, and daughter of the late Captain J. McIvor, Arklow. Deeply regretted. Interment at Cardiff. "Peace, perfect peace." Australian papers please copy.

WILSON—April 28, 1941, at the residence of her brother, William Jones, Kenagh, Longford, Frances Wilson, late of Ballyjamesduff. "Peace, perfect peace." Funeral to-morrow (Wednesday) to Newtownforbes Church at 1 o'clock (S.T.).

ANNOUNCEMENTS received late for this Column will be found on Page 4.

IN MEMORIAM.

Three children of the late **Mrs. Anna Mary Allen,** of Carrig Brae, Bray—David Edgar, M.A., B.A.I., Engineering College, Buffalo, N.Y.; Frederick Joshua, Lieut.-Colonel, Indian Army, and Anna Mary (Durand), M.D., New York—desire to associate themselves with the tributes paid to her beloved memory in yesterday's issue of the *Irish Times.*

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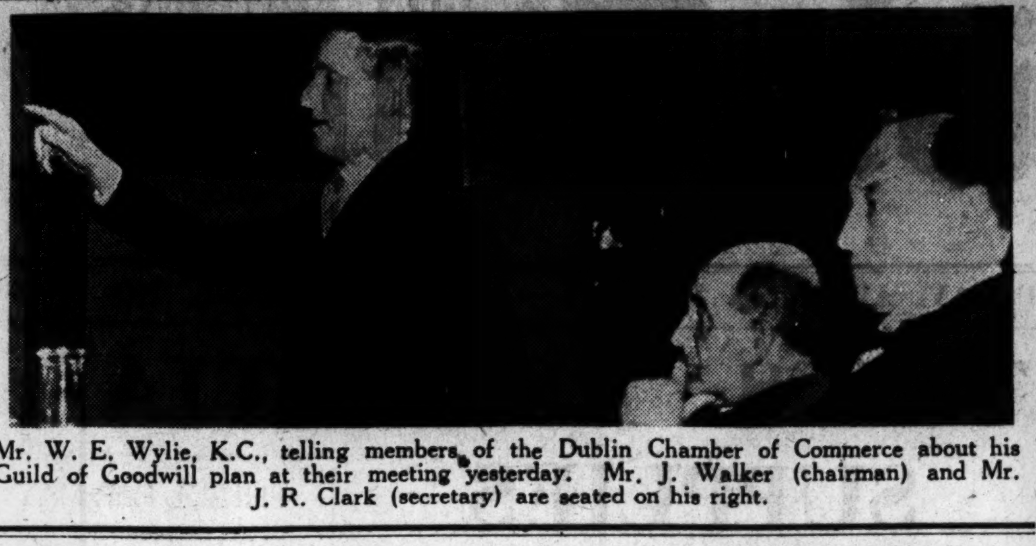

Mr. W. E. Wylie, K.C., telling members of the Dublin Chamber of Commerce about his Guild of Goodwill plan at their meeting yesterday. Mr. J. Walker (chairman) and Mr. J. R. Clark (secretary) are seated on his right.

THE WAR IN GREECE AND AFRICA

DID SOMEBODY BLUNDER?

By Our Military Correspondent.

SELDOM, if ever, has any incident of war caused so much gratuitous discussion and comment as the campaign of the last three weeks in the Balkans. Consequently a fairly detailed analysis of causes and effects is essential—although any "hurler on the ditch" does not really see most of the game, unless as a very general panorama.

It must have been clear to the Allied Governments and Staffs that a major German move in the Balkan region was imminent. So much was evident from the initial occupation of Bulgaria, and it was emphasised by the subsequent negotiations with the then existing Yugoslav Government. In view of this certainty a second certainty followed—that Greece, unaided, would lose not merely her hard-won gains in Albania but much more besides. Obviously such an eventuality could not be contemplated by the Allies if it could be avoided. Since the Yugoslav attitude was unknown, the one thing the British could do was to send to Greece a portion of their well-equipped and well-trained Army of the Nile. It has always been the view of the present writer that this was the best plan, and for much earlier, if circumstances let it be done—one of the things the "hurler on the ditch" cannot know. The fact that the project failed does not prove it was unsound.

YUGOSLAVIA

Now, what happened? In the first place, Yugoslavia was, apparently, altogether unready: at all events, organised resistance there collapsed much sooner than anybody expected. This left the Anglo-Greek front wide open to the full brunt of the German attack—plus the considerable additional pressure which the Italians could exert as a holding force on the western flank. Indeed, in the sequel, it was this pressure which eventually resulted in the capitulation of the Greek Epirus Army—by holding it fast while the Germans took it in flank. It should be recognised that the Greeks were bound to feel the strain of their half-year of ceaseless fighting against a greatly superior enemy—an additional reason for going to their aid, seeing that their own reserves must have been giving out.

We now come to the rôle of the British contingent—the precise matter that is raising so much controversy at the moment. First of all, we may say that it appears to have been put in on the most suitable sector, and to have got there in reasonable time. It also appears to have been well-equipped and to have been handled with considerable skill. As to the Air Force, the position seems to have been the following: During the first few days the fighters were able to give quite an important measure of support—*i.e.*, while they had landing grounds sufficiently near. But as the line was forced back the landing grounds in Thessaly were lost, and there were no bases from which the British fighter 'planes could operate. The result was that, in the later stages, the German *Luftwaffe* had matters all its own way. Had the British disposed of long-ranged fighters—like the new Typhoon—they would have been at far less disadvantage.

BRITISH STRENGTH

We do not know the British strength in Greece. Some figures mentioned would seem quite impossible. Mr. Alexander, the First Lord of the Admiralty, used the phrase "very large numbers," which does not tell us very much. It might apply—from the sea transport angle—to the figure of three divisions which has been mentioned in some quarters. From such details of the fighting as we have received, the force would scarcely seem to have exceeded that strength. It is probable that a policy of pulling-out to Crete has been followed, according as opportunities offered, in the case of units not actually engaged. German aircraft have been continuously attacking all sorts of shipping with a view to preventing or impeding the evacuation. There are not available sufficient data to assess the actual losses in men and material of the British Army in Greece—and, indeed, it is too soon to try and do so. It may be mentioned, however, that up to the present no major captures have been claimed against them.

GERMAN LOSSES

In sum, had the British not gone into Greece, the Germans would have secured all that they actually have secured, in an even shorter time, and with an altogether less serious amount of fighting. Their losses are known to have been important and, while they can stand them quite easily, replacements at a distance—and along communications that have themselves to be replaced—always impose an amount of trouble that is never negligible. In principle, the operation is very similar to Moore's advance from Portugal in December, 1808: in execution, it cannot possibly turn out any more unfortunate. Yet nobody to-day suggests that Moore was an incompetent general—nor that his plan on that occasion was unsound.

Having thus made an attempt to "get this straight," as regards the British move into Greece, we must now look briefly at the other operations that are linked inextricably with it as parts of a whole. In Libya the British position appears to be definitely improved. They are pursuing a policy of active defence—which, so far, has met with a considerable measure of success. The main standby, of course, is Admiral Cunningham's powerful squadron. The Tripoli bombardment of April 21st was the heaviest coastal shelling of any war—24 15in. guns being in action for about three-quarters of an hour. It is said that over 500 tons of the heaviest projectiles fell on the harbour zone—a total comparable in weight, and superior in accuracy, to the heaviest kind of air-raid.

FROM THE LEGAL DIARY

LAW NOTICES—Tuesday, April 29.

AN CHUIRT BHREITHIUNAIS UACHTARACH.
(The Supreme Court.)

At 11.15 o'clock. For hearing—In re Unemployment Insurance Act and Pile.

CUIRT ATHCHOMHAIRC CHOIRIULA.
(Court of Criminal Appeal.)

Sitting in the Supreme Court. For to-morrow (Wednesday), 30th April. Applications for Leave to Appeal—The People (Attorney-General) v. John Ryan; same v. William Russell; same v. Thomas Galligan; same v. Patrick Fox; same v. John Strappe; same v. Peter Flynn; same v. Michael Mackey; same v. John Rooney; same v. Gerard Kilcullen. For Extension of Time—Same v. William J. Kelly; same v. Alexander Treanor.

CLARATHOIR NA gCOIMIRCITHE CUIRTE.
(The Registrar of Wards of Court.)

Before Mr. Magahan, at 11 o'clock—vouch account, Casey, Clay and Collins; vouch two accounts, Darley, Orpen and McGillycuddy.

AN ARD-CHUIRT BHREITHIUNAIS.
(The High Court.)

In Court 2, at 11 o'clock. Action (to be resumed)—Clery and Co., Ltd., v. Shott and another.

In Court 4, at 11 o'clock. Circuit Appeals—Laurence v. Weldon (at hearing); Calton v. the Bray Printing Co., Ltd.

In Court 3, at 11 o'clock. Admiralty Motions—Zarine v. owners s.s. Ramava; McEvoy and Veldi v. owners s.s. Piret and owners s.s. Mall; McEvoy v. owners s.s. Otto; Thor Eckert and Co., v. owners s.s. Everoga (U.S.S.R. motion); same v. same (defendant's motion); Madigan and others, v. owners Ibis II.; Ritchie and others v. owners Ibis II.

CUIRT CHOIMISIUIN TALMHAN NA h-EIREANN.
(Land Commission Court.)

Land Purchase Acts. At the Courts of Justice, Four Courts. In Court No. 1, before the President of the High Court (sitting as Judicial Commissioner), at 11 o'clock. Motion at the sitting of the Court. Ex parte Applications. In Chamber—John R. Brown, allocate; Richard de Ros. Rose, ditto; Robert A. McMunn, ditto; Arthur H. Robinson, ditto; Henry Hemphill, ditto; Richard B. O'Donnell, ditto; Mrs. Mary B. Molloy and others, amd., etc., A.S.; Ellen M. Delaney, ditto; Henry H. C. Knox, ditto; Sir Henry C. Bellew and another, ditto; Francis McCormick, amd., etc., ditto; Maud F. A. Hart, amd., etc., ditto; Annie McLorinan, ditto; Edward A. R. Jefferson and another, amd., etc., ditto; Rep. of John G. McInerney, ditto; James Geo. Wm. A. Davis, ditto; General Sir William Gillman, ditto; Jos. Chas. Higgins, ditto Fred. C. Trench, ditto; Lester J. Strahan, ditto; Geraldine B. M. Butler, ditto; John K. Cooper, ditto; Eliz. H. L. Vaughan, ditto; George F. W. Grange, ditto; Reps. of Hanoria Kenny, ditto; Eleanor M. Cunningham, ditto. In Court—Captain Thos. Biggs Atkinson, A.S.; Helen E. Drought, ditto; Isabel G. Pigott, continued, etc. Motions—Motion at the sitting of the Court—L. L. C. (formerly Maria Grace), motion; Thomas G. Wilson, ditto; Eda D. Hume, ditto; Baron Deramore, ditto.

APPEAL TRIBUNAL.

Cases already notified will be listed for hearing on Friday, the 2nd May, 1941, at 23 Upper Merrion street, Dublin, at 11 o'clock.

LAND REGISTRY.

Before the President (at the conclusion of the Land Commission List)—Ex Parte Motions. Motions—Catherine Saunders, decd., a registered owner of land, Folio 1641, Co. Wicklow; application of Bridget Byrne.

OIFIG AN MHAISTIR-MHEASAIREACHTA
(The Taxing Master's Office.)

Master O'Hanlon, at 11 o'clock. Ex Parte Taxations—Tralee and Fenit Pier and Harbour Commissioners to Huggard, R. H. Hudson; Mayo Board of Health to Thornton, A. V. G. Thornton; Roughan, decd., Kerin, Hickman and O'Donnell.

Master Kennedy, at 11 o'clock—Casey to McNamara and Co., R. McNamara and Co.; Mallow U.D. Council to Golden, T. J. Golden; O'Dea and Co. v. Kennan and Sons, T. F. O'Connell, Rooney and Co.; Carroll v. Pembroke Private Hospital, Ltd., Bourke, Carrigg and Loftus; O'Meara v. Tipperary (North Riding) County Council, M. Gleeson and Son.

OIFIG AN SCRUDORA.
(The Examiner's Office.)

Before Mr. Adderley (Room 104), at 11 o'clock—G. B. Pilkington, decd., Beatty v. Pilkington; Bank of Ireland v. Hanlon; P. Tynan, decd., Tynan v. Tynan; M. Geraghty, decd., Geraghty v. Moore.

Before Mr. Greville (Room 103), at 11 o'clock—Mitchell v. Ryan; Curran v. Kenney; Doyle v. Mark; Comhlucht na hEireann um Arachas Teo (New Ireland Assurance Co., Ltd.) v. O'Donnell.

Before Mr. Murtagh (Room 108), at 11 o'clock—J. Kearns, decd., Kearns v. Kearns.

COIMISIUN TALMHAN NA h-EIREANN.
(Irish Land Commission.)

At Examiners' Chambers, 93 Merrion square, before Mr. Franks, at 11 o'clock—Vincent and Conyers, discharge rulings and settle schedule. At 11.30 o'clock—Hon. W. J. French, vouch.

At 24 Upper Merrion street, before Mr. Tyrrell, at 3 o'clock—Brown, discharge retainer.

At 6 Hume street, before Mr. O'Byrne, at 3.30 o'clock—Resumed holding of Bridget Devlin, discharge rulings and settle schedule. At 4 o'clock—Resumed holdings of Gallagher, discharge rulings and settle schedule.

CENTRAL CRIMINAL COURT.
(Green Street Courthouse, Dublin.)

Jurors Nos. 1 to 150 need not attend until Thursday next, 1st prox.

AN CHUIRT BHREITHEAMHNAIS CHUARDA.
(Circuit Court of Justice.)

Before Judge Shannon, at the Law Courts, Chancery place, at 11 o'clock. Applications for Summary Judgment—Payantake, Ltd., v. Forrester; Stokes v. Robinson; Seezer v. O'Neill; McAneney v. O'Connor. Civil Actions—Cooper v. Murdoch and another; Coyle and Co. (Brokers), Ltd., v. Dawson's Amusements, Ltd.; McElhinney v. Bracken; Irish Civil Service (Permanent) Building Society v. Holden; Dublin Fever Hospital Board v. Higgins.

AN CLARATHOIR CONTAE.
(The County Registrar.)

At 12.30 o'clock. Taxation of Costs—Byrne v. Sheridan; Barker and another v. Molloy; Seezer v. Quigley; Tully v. King.

CUIRT DUITHCHE NA CATHRACH.
(Metropolitan District Court.)

At Morgan place, before Mr. T. G. O'Sullivan, at 10.30 o'clock—Undefended civil processes; undefended ejectment processes; undefended civil processes adjourned from previous sessions; undefended ejectment processes adjourned from previous sessions; defended civil processes; defended ejectment processes.

CENTRAL CRIMINAL COURT

ENNIS MILLS' CASE ADJOURNED

(BEFORE MR. JUSTICE BLACK.)

Walter Chapman and Ted Town were put forward on charges of falsifying accounts and fraudulent conversion of a large sum of money, the property of their employers, the Braid Mills, Ennis, Co. Clare.

Mr. J. A. Costello, K.C., who appeared for the defence, applied for an adjournment of the case until the next sitting of the court on the grounds that certain witnesses of vital importance for the defence were in England, and in consequence of the present emergency there it would not be possible to secure their attendance here at present.

Mr. Justice Black said that last Monday he had discharged the jurors until that day, and now they had attended at great inconvenience. He would like to know if the difficulty which now presented itself had arisen since last Monday.

Mr. Costello said that, as a matter of fact, it was not known until last Saturday afternoon that the difficulty was so serious.

Mr. J. A. McCarthy, K.C., who, with Mr. Carroll O'Daly (instructed by the Chief State Solicitor) prosecuted, said that he had been in consultation with the Attorney-General, who had agreed to the adjournment in the circumstances.

Mr. Justice Black—The Attorney-General has information which is not available to me. Do you consider the adjournment asked for reasonable?

Mr. McCarthy—Yes.

Mr. Justice Black then granted the application, and, in discharging the jury until Thursday next, said he regretted that they had been taken away from their business interests.

The accused men were allowed out on continuing bail, and the court adjourned until Thursday next.

Council for the Blind.—The monthly meeting of the Executive Committee of the National Council for the Blind of Ireland was held on April 22nd at 11 Molesworth street, Dublin. It was reported that Miss Fagan, one of the Council's trained home teachers, was visiting the blind in some of the country districts, where there is no branch of the National Council, and much local interest was being aroused. A satisfactory report on the year's working of the hostel for blind women was given by the hostel hon. secretary.

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WORK OF THE LAND COMMISSION

Due to the emergency conditions following the outbreak of war in September, 1939, the operations of the Land Commission were slowed down, and a considerable proportion of the staff was lent to other departments. This is stated in the report of the Land Commission for the year ended 31st March, 1940.

Untenanted land to the extent of 40,910 acres was acquired or taken over, and 38,636 acres distributed among 2,729 allottees. New holdings, numbering 650, were created, including 358 holdings for migrants from congested areas. The lands vacated by the latter were made available for relief of local congestion.

A new colony for migrants from the Connemara Gaeltacht was established at Allenstown, Co. Meath. To the 23 families thus migrated were given 642 acres, purchased for £10,648. These were equipped with buildings, fences, roads, drains, etc., but special assistance by way of stock, implements, seeds and manures was reduced. The cost per holding was £212, as compared with £321, the average for colonies previously established.

In addition to colony migration from the Gaeltacht up to the 31st March last 100 group migrant families had been installed in Meath, Westmeath and Kildare, on 2,717 acres purchased by the Land Commission at £42,744. The group scheme is ancillary to ordinary individual migrations. The reports states that these will proceed as usual in order to relieve local congestion in areas where the only hope of relief is in the distribution of migrants' vacated holdings among the surrounding congests.

Collection of land purchase annuities was fairly well maintained. The total in 1939-1940 was £2,475,630, as compared with £2,495,173 in the previous year.

The total sum distributed by way of purchase money for estates under all Land Acts from 1st April, 1923, to 31st March, 1940, was £33,982,576.

TO WORK FOR A REPUBLIC

At a meeting of Coras na Poblachta, held in the Mansion House, Dublin, last night, the chairman, Mr. Sean Fitzpatrick, said that the primary aim of the organisation was to establish a Republic for All Ireland.

Mr. M. O'Mullane said that post-treaty governments had failed to fulfil the aspirations of the people, or give them material prosperity. These governments had left the country defenceless and in danger of a famine as great as that of '47. It was the old "ascendancy gang" that controlled banks and big business, and could bring pressure to bear on any government. It could prevent the establishment of a munition factory or a mercantile marine, which would cut across British profits.

Mr. Seumas Dobbyn said that the "key men" in the country were members of an international system, and were controlled by the "key men" in other countries. Coras na Poblachta had pledged itself to break the power of the Freemasons and the ascendancy class in Ireland.

Mr. Hugh O'Neill said that unemployment was part of the capitalist system, and no adjustment of that system could cure it. Ireland to-day was part of the British capitalist system.

SPECIAL CRIMINAL COURT

GARAGE OWNER'S APOLOGY

Edward Delaney, garage proprietor, North Circular road, Dublin, who was sentenced by the Special Criminal Court sitting in Collins Barracks last week to six months' imprisonment for refusing to answer questions put to him by the State counsel during one of the petrol coupon cases, appeared before the Court again yesterday morning and apologised for his conduct. He said he was prepared to give evidence when required. He had had a few drinks taken when last he appeared before the Court and did not know what was happening.

The President—You have been summoned to give evidence on behalf of the State, and the Court requires you to tell the truth.

Delaney said that he was prepared to give evidence and tell the truth.

The Court decided that in view of his attitude his sentence would be suspended. He was ordered to attend when the case was again listed and was told that he would be required to give his evidence in a truthful manner, when the Court would again consider his case.

SENTENCES PASSED

Found guilty of membership of an illegal organisation, possession of incriminating documents and of having refused to give an account of his movements, Patrick Carty, Ballinamoney, Carrick-on-Shannon, was sentenced to twelve months' imprisonment.

Thomas O'Reilly, Drumdartan, Ballinamore, County Leitrim, was sentenced to four months' imprisonment for having refused to give an account of his movements.

Mr. G. D. Murnaghan (instructed by Mr. D. O'Donovan, for the Chief State Solicitor), prosecuted.

A £340,000 SCHEME

Reporting to the Dublin County Council last night on an unemployment relief scheme of road-widening, costing £340,000, to be put into operation during next autumn and winter, Mr. J. A. Ryan, County Surveyor, said that for the purpose of making surveys and preparing plans, he would need the services of six engineers immediately, at six guineas a week each, and two extra draughtsmen at four guineas each per week.

Mr. Ryan said that the Government, who apparently anticipated a large increase in unemployment in the autumn, had asked him to draft a scheme. He did not think, he said, that the Government would ask him to draw up a scheme without having some scheme in their mind.

It was decided to make the appointments of the engineers subject to the cost being defrayed out of a grant.

The areas affected by the scheme are:—Santry, Swords, Coolock, Baldoyle, Navan road (Blanchardstown), completion of the aerodrome circuit at Collinstown, Skerries branch road, Foxrock to Bray, and Newtown Park, Blackrock, to Sandyford Cross.

Royal College of Surgeons.—The President, vice-president and Council of the Royal College of Surgeons have issued invitations to the Mary Louisa Prentice Montgomery lecture on Thursday next, at 5 p.m., in the Examination Hall. Dr. Arnold Sorsby, F.R.C.S., will deliver the lecture, entitled "The Clinical Pathology of Fundus Lesions."

HELP GUILD OF GOODWILL

MR. WYLIE TELLS HIS PLANS

FOOD, FUEL AND TRANSPORT

ASKING for financial support for his Guild of Goodwill Companies at a meeting of the Dublin Chamber of Commerce yesterday, Mr. W. E. Wylie, K.C., suggested that if the banks lent them money free of interest the project was bound to succeed.

Mr. Wylie, who received a very cordial reception from the large attendance, which was representative of almost every business and profession in the country, announced that the prospectus of the company and the two subsidiary companies, Goodwill Restaurants and Goodwill Food and Fuel Producers, Ltd., would be issued to the Press to-morrow. He appealed to business men to give their support and to formulate other schemes, and suggested that a scheme for the provision and organisation of transport should be considered. A Government such as they had—and he held that a democratic form of government was the best in the world—could not afford to make mistakes in creating schemes to meet the new problems. Neither could the situation be solved by local effort alone, although he praised the work of parish councils and the excellent organisation of Muintir na Tire, and said that his organisation could extend to them financial support.

THE BEST MEN

If they agreed that there was a crisis and that the best way to meet it was by voluntary non-profit companies, they must agree that the best way to run those companies was by getting men into them who understood their jobs. If, for example, it was found necessary to get food cooked and distributed in Dublin, could that be done by a Government committee better than by men who managed hotels and restaurants? Mr. Wylie said that when he had started his movement he had not thought that he had an earthly chance of succeeding, and for weeks he had debated the matter before he wrote his letter to the *Irish Times.* The movement had gone further than he had hoped, but they were now coming to the most critical time. They had registered their companies and drawn up their prospectus. He asked everyone to read the prospectus carefully and critically, without prejudice or passion, and if they saw in it a reasonable chance of it doing what they intended they should support it.

After reading the names of the directors, Mr. Wylie emphasised that these men would receive no remuneration. The Food and Fuel Company proposed to take turf banks and lands throughout the country, set men to work under managers, and have the produce brought to where it was needed.

FREE MONEY

The company also hoped to finance Muintir na Tire, and in this connection the money would not be repaid until the harvest was reaped. The money would be lent free of interest. If they got the money they could carry on; if not, the whole thing vanished. For example, those in charge of the Restaurant Company told him that it would require £7,000 to equip, start and run the goodwill restaurants for a fortnight, after which it was hoped they might become self-supporting. There would be a central cooking place and dépôts for the distribution of the food. They would require a minimum of two million tons of fuel.

Apart from subscribing money, there was need for support in another direction. Surely there were men of ability who could come together and form other companies? For example, there was need for a company to deal with transport. Such a company could arrange for the transport of the turf and produce grown throughout the country by obtaining lower rates from the railway companies; they could go into the question of mobilising steam-propelled vehicles, and the use of the Royal Canal. In the same way builders could make arrangements for the provision of materials that would enable the industry to continue and create employment for many people.

LABOUR

In reply to a number of questions, Mr. Wylie said that the finance would be controlled entirely by the parent company. In regard to the attitude of Labour, he said that several trades unions and a number of Labour leaders had wished him well in his scheme. When Labour realised that they were sincere it would put no difficulties in the way.

The President of the Chamber (Mr. Joseph Walker) said that they were interested in Mr. Wylie's scheme from the beginning and after his Mansion House meeting they had considered it worth exploring. The Council had unanimously invited Mr. Wylie to use their platform to address the members.

IS A BREADVAN A "SHOP"?

JUDGMENT RESERVED IN HIGH COURT

(BEFORE THE CHIEF JUSTICE, MR. JUSTICE MURNAGHAN, MR. JUSTICE MEREDITH, MR. JUSTICE GEOGHEGAN, and MR. JUSTICE O'BYRNE.)

The Supreme Court reserved judgment in a case stated by Mr. Justice Meredith on an appeal which had come before him at the High Court on Circuit at Dundalk on July 2, 1940.

The appeal had been brought on behalf of Messrs. Galbraith, Ltd., bakers, Shop street, Drogheda, from a Circuit Court decree in favour of Patrick Martin, breadserver, Congress avenue, Drogheda, who had claimed to be entitled to overtime pay under the Shops Act, 1938.

It appeared that Martin had been employed by Messrs. Galbraith as a breadserver, and that for the purpose of his employment Messrs. Galbraith had provided him with a horse and breadvan, which were their property. Martin attended at the bakery each morning for the purpose of preparing for work; he chose his own route in his delivery area and his times, and no control was exercised by his employers over his movements or methods of working from the time he left their premises until his return.

It had been submitted on his behalf that the Shops Act applied to him, and that he was entitled to be paid overtime; and for the employers it was contended that the Act did not apply to breadservers.

The Supreme Court were asked to determine whether or not a breadvan, as operated by Martin, is a "shop" within the meaning of Section 2 of the Shops (Conditions of Employment) Act, 1938, and, if so, whether the employers are "the proprietors" of that shop within the meaning of the same section; whether the provisions of the Act extend to a breadvan as if it were a "shop," by virtue of Section 3, and, if so, whether Martin was, under that section, to be considered "the proprietor" of that shop; whether Martin is "a member of the staff of a shop," and doing "shop work" for Messrs. Galbraith within the meaning of Section 2; and whether, having regard to the answers to these questions, he is entitled to overtime pay at the prescribed rate.

Mr. Costello, K.C.; Mr. Cawley, K.C., and Mr. Michael J. Sweeney (instructed by Mr. Thomas J. Branigan) appeared for Mr. Martin; and Mr. Lavery, K.C.; Mr. Roe, K.C., and Mr. P. McGilligan (instructed by Mr. Edward G. L. Ward) for Messrs. Galbraith, Ltd.

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Guineas Chances Discussed

(By GALTEE MORE.)

LONDON, Monday Night.

THE 2,000 Guineas and the 1,000 Guineas are to be run at Newmarket on Wednesday and Thursday of this week, and seven weeks later the Derby and Oaks will be run at the same course. It is likely that we shall see good races for each of the classic events of the season. The opinion was ventured here last week that there are some good three-year-old colts on the landscape, and the race for the new 2,000 Guineas this week should go some way to prove the contention.

Good Going

Out of the original entry of 53 forfeit has been declared for 33, so that there should be a normal-sized field approaching 20 runners. The only disappearance worthy of note is that of Lord Astor's Single Court, who was only run out of a place in the New Craven Stakes in the last few strides. Doubtless his trainer, who has also declined with Sun Lore, has the Derby more in view for these colts. By the way, the fact that the Derby will be run in the third instead of the first week in June is an advantage to trainers in a year when so many youngsters are backward on account of the severity of the winter and spring. The ground lately, however, has been excellent for training operations, and plenty of good work has been done since Craven week.

So much of the form being exposed, it is possible, theoretically, to reduce the group from which the winner may come to a small compass—less than half a dozen.

G. Richards's Choice

It would seem that the individual trainer with the best cards is F. Darling, who runs the New Craven Stakes winner Morogoro, the Column Stakes winner Owen Tudor, and Annatom, a winner ten days ago at Salisbury. Gordon Richards, the first jockey to the Beckhampton stable, has chosen to ride Owen Tudor, leaving Morogoro to his New Craven jockey, H. Wragg. It is said that he came to this decision following a spin between the pair at the week-end. Too much importance need not be attached to it, and, anyhow, prominent jockeys have often chosen the wrong one from the stable in a classic race.

Morogoro, on his New Craven win from Sun Castle, who was receiving 13lb., has splendid claims. He showed a magnificent burst of speed to get up and just beat Captain Boyd-Rochfort's colt, and there was much merit in the performance. Much as we can be attracted to the Derby chance of Sun Castle, it is difficult to see how can he make in the short space of a fortnight the stone improvement that is necessary to enable him to reverse the Craven Week form.

Morogoro Should Stay

Sun Castle was not greatly fancied for the New Craven, but neither was Morogoro, otherwise he would not have been a 20 to 1 chance, with odds asked for about his stable companion, Poise. It is possible that on Wednesday it will be a stronger gallop than it was in the New Craven Stakes — the Guineas is always a strongly run race—and there is just the possibility that Morogoro will have some of his speed taken off him in the early stages, and may not be able to reproduce that flashing burst that enabled him to get up a fortnight ago. This is not suggesting that the colt lacks stamina. He should not, as he is by the Gold Cup winner, Felicitation, his dam being by Gainsborough out of a Tetrarch mare.

About Selim Hassan

Owen Tudor did not beat anything like so good a field as Morogoro, and it was hardly a race, so completely was the Beckhampton colt dominating them all the way. Much was thought of this son of Hyperion before he made his first appearance last season, and, although high expectations were not always justified later in the year, he obviously has done more than well through the winter.

As well as Owen Tudor, Hyperion is represented by Selim Hassan, Sun Castle, Devonian, Orthodox and Camperdown, a formidable looking party. Apart from Owen Tudor, Selim Hassan is the most likely of the Hyperions. There is much to like about Selim Hassan, whose dam, Blanc Mange, was a half-sister to Blandford. He is a grand-looking colt, and he cut down his field at Nottingham, which included the raging favourite, Keystone, in impressive style. The only possible catch is that the ground was soft at Nottingham, and he is most unlikely to have the same sort of surface to race over on Wednesday.

Preference for Owen Tudor

Mr. Sawyer, second to him in the Midlands, seems to have little chance of reversing the running now. Devonian also seems unlikely to reverse the New Craven running with either Morogoro or Sun Castle, and the same applies to Sunny Island. Lambert Simnel, unlucky in the Free Handicap, might alter the placings with Orthodox without being good enough. Starwort has shaped more like a genuine stayer, and the best may not be seen of him this week.

It is partly because he is by Hyperion and partly because of his own merit that

OWEN TUDOR

is given the prefernce over Morogoro, the pair being taken to finish first and second. For third place, I am divided between two other Hyperions, Selim Hassan and Sun Castle. The former, being possibly the more forward in condition, is chosen to be third. It is not unlikely that he may be first, for he is a colt we know little of, he having made only one appearance last season. His reputation, therefore, rests on his Nottingham performance.

Best of the Fillies

The 1,000 Guineas is more confusing than the 2,000. Keystone and Booklet "lost their names," respectively, at Nottingham and Newmarket, though I do not believe the best was seen of either then. There was, on the other hand, everything to like about the performance of Turkana in winning in Craven week. The most likely one on this year's form for the fillies' classic appears to be

TURKANA,

who is chosen to win. A place, at least, should be filled by Lord Rosebery's game little filly, Mercy. Possibly neither Keystone nor Booklet will be seen at her best until we have warm weather.

Racing Gossip

Another Problem Facing the Irish Stewards

By Our Racing Correspondent.

BUT for the unfortunate outbreak of foot-and-mouth disease, thousands of people would be disporting themselves on the Punchestown course to-day and again to-morrow; for these were the dates allotted for the annual meeting of the Kildare and National Hunt meeting. The regrettable abandonment has been taken in good part by all interested parties, whose concern now is that, when racing is resumed at the Phœnix Park next Saturday, there will not be any further interruption. There is good reason for believing that the spread of the disease has been checked, and, with everyone helping, it should not be long before racing and other sporting events will be in full swing.

Forage Question

The old saying that "troubles never come singly" has certainly applied to racing this year. As if the petrol shortage were not bad enough, there then came the foot-and-mouth disease outbreak, and now owners and trainers are threatened with a shortage of forage. The latter trouble can be got over to an extent, but the foot-and-mouth disease was a serious matter, which none realised more than racing people. It would seem as if the worst were over, however. The Stewards of the Turf Club and I.N.H.S. Committee have taken the precaution of notifying owners and trainers that, owing to the possibility of shortage of forage, it may be necessary to order a reduction of the number of horses in training.

The Stewards, in their honorary capacity, have no easy times nowadays; for no sooner has one trouble been overcome than another springs up. Should the reduction of the horses in training become necessary, it is they who will have to devise the scheme to meet the difficulty, and this they can be depended upon to do in a manner satisfactory to all concerned.

Usenge at Newmarket

Interest in the race for the 2,000 Guineas, to be run at Newmarket to-morrow, will be heightened by the presence in the field of the Curragh-trained Usenge. Mr. P. J. Beary's colt, who is by Umidwar out of Turtle Soup, is still a maiden, but is thought highly of by his owner-trainer. He finished second to Red Cross at the Phœnix Park Second August Meeting, and later filled a similar position behind Mabama at the October Meeting.

Closing of Entries

Among the races for which entries close to-morrow are three for the second day of the Curragh First May Meeting—viz., the Pollardstown Plate, Rathbride Selling Plate, and Ruanbeg Maiden Plate. Other races for which entries are due to-morrow are five at the Phœnix Park Third May Meeting.

Curragh Notes

Trainers Preparing For "Cutting-down"

By Our Curragh Correspondent.

AS the tide has turned in favour of racing, the one thing at present agitating the minds of trainers is how best to make effective the suggestion, when it comes, to reduce the number of horses in training. So far as the big men in the business are concerned the matter for forage will not become a serious one for a considerable time yet, as they have taken the proper precautions and have maintained good stocks. But forage is, and will continue to be, both dear and scare, and the best scheme that can be evolved for the conservation of supplies in this important particular will pay for itself in the long run. I have heard nothing constructive, though tentative suggestions are numerous enough.

In any normal season it would be quite possible to have, by this time, a fair idea of the majority of two-year-olds, and even of many of the older horses. Neither owners nor trainers will keep in training horses that have not some immediate chance of paying their way, but the only test of a horse's merit is the racecourse, and we have not been able, up to now, to make a distinction between good and bad. That will come at a later date, and we may be sure that the cutting down process will be put into action on the spot.

I expect that races for maidens of all classes will have to go eventually, while those horses who, after long trying, have failed to raise themselves from the bottom of third and second class handicaps likewise will have to suffer elimination for the good of the best. Again an instance of the survival of the fittest.

It is a fact that several trainers already have warned their patrons of horses that did not come through home tests in a reasonably hopeful manner, and these have been turned out. There are, of course, many owners, and normally one could have nothing but praise for their sporting spirit, who are so fond of their horses, especially if bred by themselves, who will not be convinced that "their geese are not swans," no matter how strong the proof nor how many times it has been proven. Of course, by the middle of the year the whole question will have fairly adjusted itself.

The term, "racing fit," can be applied with genuine truth to most of the horses holding engagements in the immediate future, and that will be shown at the first meeting of a very welcome resumption—that at Phœnix Park next Saturday. There are a fair quota of Curragh-trained jumpers in the Belvedere Hurdle. They include Honor's Choice, Felwin, Point d'Atout, Phantom III., and Royal Band. They have been kept in strong work, and it is not unlikely that the winner may be found among them. There is a splendid entry for this attractive race, and it should be one of the best events in an excellent programme.

ANNUAL MEETINGS AND CLUB NOTICES

Mount Temple Lawn Tennis Club.—Courts will be open for play on Saturday next.

Howth Lawn Tennis Club.—Officers and Committee—Chairman, Dr. F. C. Ward, T.D.; vice-chairman, B. P. Bowen; hon. secretary, J. J. Duff, The Moorings, Howth; hon. treasurer, W. McSherry; captain, J. C. Hehir; Committee: Miss B. Bayley-Butler, Miss T. Hammond F. S. Conway, T. J. Geary, E. C. Handcock, J. Quinn. Courts will be open on Saturday, 10th May.

Donnybrook Lawn Tennis Club.—Officers for the season—President, A. O. Fry; hon. secretary, E. A. Cameron-MacNair, 11 Brendan road, Donnybrook; hon. treasurer, F. W. Dunlop, 15 Brendan road, Donnybrook; Committee: P. Brooks, E. C. Bewley, Colonel Hannin, G. F. Klingner, A. D. Pringle, J. A. Douglas. Courts open Thursday, May 8.

Leinster Hockey Umpires.—Officers for season 1941-42—President, A. W. Palk; vice-president, W. Chiddick; hon. secretary, H. W. Cooper, Cumberland Hotel, 17 Westland Row, Dublin; hon. treasurer, L. Bowers; Committee of seven members: G. Beard, H. J. Bollard, C. Bruton, Capt. C. J. Daly, A. J. Keegan, R. W. Keegan, L. J. Winder; Grading Committee of five members: Messrs. Bollard Chiddick, Cooper, McDonnell, McElveen; representative to the Protest Committee, H. W. Cooper; delegate of Leinster Branch Council, H. J. Bollard; representative to the Rules Committee of the Leinster Branch, Irish Hockey Union, H. W. Cooper; hon. auditor, W. M. Carte.

Pembroke Wanderers Hockey Club.—April general meeting will be held this evening at the Red Bank, D'Olier street, at 7.45.

Presbyterian Table Tennis League.—Officers for the season 1941-42—President, Mr. J. Speirs (re-elected); hon. secretary, Mr. E. A. Barnett (re-elected); hon. treasurer, Mr. W. Thompson; hon. auditors, Mr. Robertson and Mr. F. Stirling.

Raheny Cricket Club.—Officers for the season—President, Mr. D. P. C. Plunket; captain 1st XI., T. W. Ryder; vice-captain, W. Butler; captain 2nd XI., D. A. Kilroy; vice-captain, J. Cashell; Selection Committee: Messrs. T. W. Ryder, D. A. Kilroy, R. H. Barrett, D. Cashell, J. Jones, A. Murison, J. Slye; hon. secretary, H. M. Savage, "St. Anne's," Clontarf; hon. treasurer, G. Dixon; team secretary, R. H. Barrett.

PHŒNIX PARK RACES,

CLOSING OF ENTRIES.

Entries for the Phœnix Park Third May Meeting Close TO-MORROW, APRIL 30th, with Mr. F. Harold Clarke, 9 Hume street, Dublin.

For particulars see *Irish Racing Calendar.* —(Advt.)

CURRAGH FIRST MAY MEETING, 1941,

TUESDAY, WEDNESDAY AND THURSDAY, MAY 13th, 14th and 15th.

The following Races CLOSE TO-MORROW (WEDNESDAY) with Mr. F. Harold Clarke, 9 Hume Street, Dublin:—

SECOND DAY.

POLLARDSTOWN PLATE of 100 sovs. For Irish-trained horses, three years old and upwards, that have never won a race value 100 sovs. Seven furlongs.

RATHBRIDE SELLING PLATE of 100 sovs. For two years old Irish-trained horses. Five furlongs.

RUANBEG MAIDEN PLATE of 100 sovs. For maiden three years old and upwards. One mile and a quarter.

For full articles see *Irish Racing Calendar.*—(Advt.)

RESULT of Sweepstake on Conyngham Cup. Catholic Boys' Home, 72 Middle Abbey street—1st Prize, No. A10205, J. Mathews, C. H. Dock, Dublin; 2nd Prize, No. L9173, Miceal O Briain, Na Ceapacha, Baile Mhuirne, Macroom, Co. Cork; 3rd Prize, No. A8340, Wm. Kiernan, 51 Jervis street, Dublin. Starters' Prizes, £1 each—L3371, L11983, D11919, N6169, B11074, N10395, D10446, Q1652, Y1299, A9445, Y11254, C10761, G8130, Q2682, E3814, Q4230, E1373, Q11538, L2075, U5325, L11692, I3916, K3513, D9103, K6437, C2171, T3009. Sellers' Prizes—Miss K. Cassidy, Miss Frances Jackson, P. L. Murphy, Maolseachlainn Mac Gabhan, Miss Pauline Murphy, William Fleming, Miss Lily Walsh, Miss Brigid Holton, A. Kennedy, Frank Duffy.

MOUNT Street Club.—Result of Draw, held April 26th:—Kodak, 3169; Lady's Bicycle, 6129; Gentleman's Suit, 8423; Eiderdown, 6990; Whiskey, 2208; Gentleman's Bicycle, 9581; Chest of Tea, 15281.

DUBLIN UNIVERSITY C.C.

The captain of the Dublin University Cricket Club this year is L. H. Shrago, not as stated in a recent contribution in this page.

UMPIRES WANTED

The Leinster Cricket Union are in need of umpires, and would be glad to get into touch with anyone eligible. The honorary secretary, Mr. J. A. O'Donnell, 17a St. Andrew street, will furnish particulars.

DARTRY WOMEN'S CLUB.

The opening practice will be held this evening at St. Andrew's grounds, Donnybrook, at 7 o'clock.

2,000 Guineas Runners

The Derby Star was found to have split a pastern after a good gallop with Burning Bow at Newmarket yesterday and will not run in the 2,000 Guineas to-morrow. Another Newmarket horse to split a pastern while galloping on the Heath is Trimaroma. Ombro is on the easy list and is a doubtful runner for the Victoria Handicap on Thursday.

Probable starters and jockeys for the 2,000 Guineas (1m.) are:—

Mr. Sawyer, b. c. by Loaningdale—Seradella (Mr. A. Bassett) (Persse), 9-0 ....G. Bridgland

Usenge, b. c. by Umidwar—Turtle Soup (Mr. P. Beary) (Owner), 9-0 E. Smith.

Devonian, ch. c. by Hyperion—Glorious Devon (Lord Glanely) (Lawson), 9-0 R. Perryman

Selim Hassam, b. c. by Hyperion—Blanc Mange (Mr. Goodbody) (Bancroft), 9-0 ....M. Beary

Sollum, b. c. by Solario—Mismac (Lord Hirst) (Templeman), 9-0...C. Richards

Starwort, b. c. by Noble Star—Grass Widow (Mrs. A. James) (G. Colling), 9-0 ....J. Taylor

King's Jester, b. c. by Solario—Amuse (Mr. H. Joel) (C. Peck), 9-0 A. Richardson

Annatom, b. c. by Fiterari—Antonine (Aly Khan) (F. Darling), 9-0 S. Wragg

Morogoro, gr. c. by Felicitation—Moti Begum (Maharani of Kholapur) (F. Darling), 9-0 .... H. Wragg

Owen Tudor, br. c. by Hyperion—Mary Tudor (Mrs. Buchanan) (F. Darling), 9-0 .... G. Richards

Burning Bow, b. c. by Bold Archer—Ankaret (Mrs. G. Miller) (F. S. Butters), 9-0 .... R. A. Jones

Sun Castle, b. c. by Hyperion—Castle Gay (Lord Portal) (B.-Rochfort), 9-0 .... P. Beasley

Orthodox, b. c. by Hyperion—Queen Christina (Mr. Rank) (N. Cannon), 9-0 .... D. Smith

Sun Ray, br. c. by Solario—Pinchin (Mr. E. Robson) (Templeman), 9-0 .... A. Wragg

Camperdown, b. c. by Hyperion—Campanula (Sir V. Sassoon) (J. Payne), 9-0 .... T. Lowrey

Ohanda, ch. c. by Blazonry—La Chance (Major Walker) (H. Leader), 9-0 R. Lacey

Sunny Island, b. c. by Colombo—Dona Sol (Duke of Westminster) (Templeman), 9-0 .... W. Nevett

Lambert Simnel, b. c. by Fair Trial—Simnel (Duke of Westminster) (Templeman), 9-0 ...... E. C. Elliott

Fairy Prince, ch. c. by Fairway—Cachelot (Mr. F. Williams) (C. Pratt), 9-0 .... F. Lane

FORM OF THE HORSES

003 Mr. Sawyer. See Selim Hassan.

23 Usenge. Carried 8-12 when beaten 3l. by Mabama (8-8), Phœnix Park Oct. (5f.). Carried 8-12 when beaten 1l. by Red Cross (8-8), Phœnix Park Aug. (5f.).

3 Devonian. See Morogoro.

31 Selim Hassan. Carried 8-5 when winning 3l. 1½l. from Mr. Sawyer (8-5) and Keystone (8-12), Nottingham April (1m.). Carried 9-0 when dead-heating with Starwort (9-0) for third place, neck, 1½l. behind Hyacinthus (9-0) and Morogoro (9-0), Nottingham Nov. (6f.). Sunny Island (9-0) was fifth of 7.

0 Sollum. See Morogoro.

133 Starwort. Carried 9-0 when beaten 2l. ½l. by Poise (9-0) and Sunny Island (9-0), Newmarket Nov. (6f.). See Selim Hassan. Carried 8-11 when winning 2l. 5l. from Hyacinthus (8-6) and Sun Ray (8-6), Newmarket Oct. (6f.). Owen Tudor (8-11) was fifth of 9.

0 King's Jester. Unplaced with 8-12 to Sunseeker (8-9), Newmarket April 17 (6f.).

021 Annatom. Carried 8-11 when winning 3l. 1½l. from Ranger (8-11) and Bakhtawar (8-11), Salisbury April (1m.). Carried 9-0 when beaten 1l. by Mazarin (9-0), Newmarket Nov. (6f.).

121 Morogoro. Carried 9-4 when winning neck, 2l., from Sun Castle (8-5) and Devonian (8-5), Newmarket April 16 (1m.). Sunny Island (8-10) was fifth of 16, Fairy Prince (8-5) seventh, Sun Ray (8-5) eighth, and Chanda (8-10) ninth. See Selim Hassan.

021 Owen Tudor. Carried 9-1 when winning 3l. 4l. from Bastille (8-5) and Lord Flame (8-7), Newmarket April 17 (1m.). Burning Bow (8-7) was fourth of 15. Carried 8-7 when beaten head by City of Flint (8-7), Newmarket Nov. (6f.). See Starwort.

034 Burning Bow. See Owen Tudor.

032 Sun Castle. See Morogoro.

031 Orthodox. Carried 8-3 when winning 2l., head from Firle (8-6) and Lambert Simnel (8-12), Newmarket April 17 (7f.).

030 Sun Ray. See Morogoro and Starwort.

142 Camperdown. Carried 9-3 when beaten 5l. by Lion Tor (8-8), Ripon April (1m.).

10 Chanda. See Morogoro. Carried 8-7 when winning 1½l., ½l. from Cristoforo (8-9) and Malmaison (8-4), Nottingham Oct. (6f.).

240 Sunny Island. See Morogoro, Selim Hassan and Starwort. Carried 8-12 when fourth of 14 to Lynch Tor (8-5), Nottingham March (1m.).

123 Lambert Simnel. See Orthodox. Carried 9-2 when beaten 2l. by Fetters (8-9), Newmarket Oct. (7f.).

200 Fairy Prince. See Morogoro.

"Diets for Dogs"

"Master McGrath" writes:—The Standing Committee of the Irish Coursing Club, and owners and trainers of greyhounds, should be grateful to Mr. A. H. Verschoyle, the President of the Irish Field Trial Association, for his advice *re* the feeding of greyhounds in the existing emergency. If his advice is taken it should go a long way towards easing the admittedly serious situation, so far as coursing and racing dogs are concerned: but will greyhound owners and trainers act on it? That is the question. Mr. Verschoyle does not question the accuracy of what I wrote when I referred to the feeding of greyhounds on human food: he merely disagrees with the "need of this kind of feeding." What I did state cannot be contradicted: hence the extremely grave concern anent the future of our greyhound stock, and of coursing and greyhound racing, that prevails in the highest coursing circles here.

OLD-TIME LIMERICK OARSMAN DEAD

The death occurred at his residence, Portland, Limerick, on Sunday, of Mr. Bruce Murray, director of Messrs. William Todd and Co., drapers, Limerick. The deceased was for many years President of Limerick Boat Club, with which he had a life-long connection. In his youth he was an outstanding oarsman, and never subsequently lost interest in the sport. Although in his 86th year Mr. Murray, up to recent times made it a practice to spend his evenings on the River Shannon, during the season, acting as coxswain to aspiring young oarsmen.

Golf

Dublin University Society

The annual general meeting of the society was held in No. 5 T.C.D. yesterday, Mr. H. Thrift, S.F.T.C.D., President, in the chair. The following officers and committee were elected for the coming year:—President—Mr. H. Thrift, S.F.T.C.D. Captain—Mr. H. J. Millar. Hon. Secretary and Treasurer—Mr. A. D. Pringle, "Melvin," Temple Gardens, Dublin, S.W.1 Committee — Dr. J. Beckett, Mr. Seymour Heatley, Captain F. Howe, Mr. G. M. Porter, and the captain and secretary, D.U.G.C. (ex officio).

Any clubs or societies willing to arrange week-day evening matches are asked to communicate with the Hon. Secretary. The society is open to all graduates of T.C.D.

GOLF CLUB NOTICES

RATHFARNHAM—Thursday next—Foursomes, 18 holes, strokes. The following have been selected to play together. Choose opponents—C. S. Doyle and G. K. Deane, F. C. Oxley and D. McCall, G. Black and J. Gordon, G. Quade and W. Judge, G. Woods and A. Bingham, V. Bailey and J. Marshall, T. Jackson and J. Millard, G. Green and C. Harrington.

SKERRIES (Ladies' Branch)—18 holes, sweepstakes, won by Miss Nellie Conroy, 81. To-day—Replayed 18 holes April medal, bogey.

CORBALLIS (Ladies' Branch)—Saturday next—Medal, 18 holes, strokes; usual draw. Two-club competition won by Mrs. Clarke, 76.

BRAY—Medal. Class I.—M. McCormack, 2 down. Class II.—Kevin O'Brien, 1 down.

MILLTOWN—To-morrow — Wednesday medal, strokes. Saturday next—Medal, bogey. Time sheet for Cantwell Cup (May 7th) now in clubhouse.

NEWLANDS—Nursery competitions, 86 entries. Class "A"—J. P. Cummins (6), 72, and E. J. Cullen (10), 72 tied. Class "B"—M. Hughes (16), 71; W. Fagan (16), 73, and B. Kelly (18), 73, tied. Class "C"—J. J. Fitzgerald (22), 69; T. Ward (21), 72. Class "D"—J. J. Walsh (23), 76, and J. Murphy (18), 76, tied. Best gross—Ben Murphy, 73. Draw for Newlands Challenge Cup posted in clubhouse. First round to be played on or before May 4th. To-day (Ladies' Branch) — Miss B. Kavanagh's prize, Class "A": Miss N. Dorothy's prize, Class "B": flag competition.

DONABATE—Scotch mixed foursomes—Mrs. J. Brennan and E. Howard, 63½; Mrs. E. Herlihy and G. Verdon, 65. Pyke Cup (2nd round), 7 byes and two matches. The matches (C. Boland v. J. C. Uden, and B. Quane v. A. J. Hamill) to be played off on or before Sunday next. Sunday—Mr. J. C. Uden's prizes, strokes, two classes.

HERMITAGE—Ladies' Branch.—To-day: Ring competition, 18 holes, strokes.

FOXROCK — Ladies' Branch.—To-day: Granard fourball: arrange partners; draws for opponents at 10.15, 11.0, 2.15, 5.0, 5.45.

CARLOW.—Foursome—J. Healy (11) and E. B. Williams (18), 72½; J. F. Corr (2) and J. A. Parle (17), 75½; D. J. Carbery (6) and R. D. McDonnell (9), 76½. Sunday, May 4th—Monthly Cup, Stableford, open to all members, including country members. Draws from 10.30.

DUNDALK.—Thursday and Saturday—Mr. P. L. Macardle's (hon. secretary) prize, 18 holes, strokes.

Association Football

The President's Cup for Rovers

The match for the President's Cup at Shelbourne Park last night between Shamrock Rovers and St. James's Gate was won by the Rovers by 2-1, Dunne and Leeney scoring for the winners, and Jackson for the Gate. It was a good game all the way, but again St. James's Gate, who had Bradshaw at centre-forward, were very slow around goal, and failed to utilise several rosy chances in each half. The Rovers' front line, however, were just as inept; but generally, the winners had a good deal the better of it, and the score by no means flattered them. Having most of the play in the first half, it took the Rovers almost half an hour to get through Murtagh's defence, and then it was a high lob from Dunne, out on the left, which beat him, the ball going in off his hands just under the bar. A few minutes later McCarthy saved brilliantly from Bradshaw and Kennedy at the post, but in another mêlée Jackson, with a fine shot, equalised. Eight minutes from the interval Dunne presented Leeney with an almost open goal, and the Rovers' centre drove home the winning score. The only features of the second half were an excellent save by McCarthy, a great shot by Jackson, who struck the Rovers' cross-bar, and two bad failures by the Rovers' centre to increase the score.

CELTIC WIN AGAIN

A "hat trick" by O'Connor gave Belfast Celtic victory over Cliftonville at Grosvenor Park, Belfast, last night, and, with five games to play, Celtic require only four more points to ensure the championship of the Northern Regional League. McKeown scored for Cliftonville.

CURRAGH SEMI-FINALS DRAW

In the Darling Cup (second round replay)—C.T. and M. Dépôt, 2 goals (Cpl. Doherty, Cpl. Dalton); Cavalry, 1 goal (Friary). This match clears the way for the semi-final stage, for which the draw is as follows:—21st Bn. v. Construction Corps; C.T. and M. Dépôt v. 25th Bn.

HOCKEY CUP FINALS

The following matches will be played at Londonbridge road to-day:—

Schools' Minor Cup—Kingstown v. King's Hospital, 3.15 (Messrs. Chiddick and Peterson).

Bankers' Cup—Bank of Ireland v. National, 5.0 (Messrs. Cooper and Chiddick).

HALF MOON SWIMMING CLUB

Indoor training, Tara street Baths, to-morrow, 9 to 10 o'clock.

The following have been selected to play in the junior water polo trial match:—Whites—S. Lawlor, P. Molloy, T. Ethrington, E. Rafter, P. Kearney, F. Flood, B. Collinge. Blues—P. Canning, T. Dunne, P. Walsh, G. Ganly, F. Rafter, J. Rafter, D. Doyle.

WHY THE DERBY WAS TRANSFERRED

It can now be stated that the running of the Derby at Newbury was opposed by the local Town Council. The Chief Constable of Berkshire was in agreement with the Council's view, and it was for these reasons that the race was transferred to Newmarket. Alderman A. C. Elliott was not in entire agreement with the action taken by the Council. He declared that, if the Government decided that the industry of racing should be carried on, it was the duty of the Council to support the Government.

BRITISH CATTLE AND EGG PRICES

From Our Correspondent.

LONDON, Monday.

Two announcements here by the Ministry of Food and Ministry of Agriculture provide good news for Eire producers.

The Ministry of Food has agreed to retain the price of Eire eggs all through the summer on the special margin of threepence per dozen less than British home produced eggs.

The Ministry of Agriculture announce better prices for lean and second-grade cattle.

To induce farmers to sell their cattle as soon as they are moderately fit for killing, the price of steers, heifers and cow-heifers killing out at 50 to 52 per cent. (which are low grades) has been increased substantially. The highest prices will be paid in June, and English farmers have been asked to bring forward more animals in the early summer, even if they would normally be considered no better than forward stores and not finished cattle.

After two months in Britain, imported steers and heifers from Eire, with a killing out percentage of 52, will receive 60s. 6d. per live cwt., and cow-heifers 55s. 6d. These are increases of three shillings in each case. With a killing-out percentage of 51, the prices are 58s. 6d. and 53s. 6d., increases of 7s.

DUBLIN

BRIGHTER TONE IN MARKETS

GOOD SUPPORT FOR HOME ISSUES

There was a fair accumulation of week-end orders on the Dublin Stock Exchange yesterday, and markets presented a busier and brighter appearance. Irish securities came in for good support, and some firm features developed. British Industrials were also harder for choice.

Home Government Funds were well maintained and 4 per cent. Land Bonds improved to 104. British Funds hardened slightly, and Banking issues showed more life at unchanged levels.

Chief interest centred round Dublin Distillers issues, and strong support lifted the Ord. to 6/-, and the "A" shares to 6/6. Guinness Ord. shaded off to 65/9, but Distillers Ord. advised better at around 62/6.

Rails, although quiet, held steady. Arnott Pref. advanced 1/- to 82/-, but Carroll Ord. gave way to 22s., and Irish-American Oil Pref. drooped to 17/3. Independent "B" Ord. recovered 1/- to 42/-, and Irish Sugar Pref. rose to 24/9. Williams and Woods Pref. made headway to 21/-, but Batchelor (Ireland) Ord. eased to 5/1½.

B.A.T. Ord. repeated 83/3, and Imperial Tobacco Ord. hardened to 89/6. Textiles marked small irregular changes in nominal markings. Imperial Chemical Ord. rose to 29/-, while Vickers Ord. advised higher. Shell Transport Ord. were dull at around 40/3.

OFFICIAL QUOTATIONS

* Odd lot. a asked. b bid. c cash. (Previous prices in parentheses.)

GOVERNMENT FUNDS.

5% Second National Loan (under £200)	(112¼) 112 9/16
3½% Fourth Loan	(104) 104
4% Conversion Loan	(109) 109
3¾% Financial Agreement	(105) *105
4% Exchequer Bonds	(108) 108 108
4½% Land Bonds	(114½) 114½
Do. (under £200)	114¼
4% Land Bonds	(103½) 103¾ 104
Do. (under £200)	(103⅜) 103½
Do. (Immature)	(101¾) *101⅜
2½% Consols	(77) 76⅞
3½% War Loan	(102⅝) 102 11/16
Guar. 3% 1939 Stock	(91) *90¾

CORPORATION STOCKS.

Dublin 4% 1955/60	(102½) 102b
Do. 5% 1950/70	(110) 109a
Belfast 5% 1945	104½

BANKS.

Munster and Leinster	(96/-) 96/-
Northern "A"	59/9
Provincial Old	(33/-) 33/-
Do New	(33/-) 33/-
Royal	(9⅜) *9⅜

BREWERIES AND DISTILLERIES.

Distillers Ord.	62/-b 63/-a
Dublin Distillers Ord.	(5/4½) 6/-
Do. "A"	(6/-) 6/3 6/6 6/4½ 6/6 6/6
Guinness Ord.	(66/-) 66/- 66/- 65/9

RAILS, TRAMS AND GAS.

Belfast and Co. Down "A" Pref.	23¼
Great Northern Guar.	(38) 38b 40a
Do. Deb.	(55) 55
Great Southern Deb.	(47) 47
Dublin Tram Pref.	(22/-) 22/-

BAKERY AND MILLING.

Ranks (Ireland) Pref.	(24/-) 24/-

DRAPERIES.

Arnott Pref.	(81/-) *82/-
Pim Bros. Pref.	(4/-) 4/-

IRISH INDUSTRIALS.

Batchelor (Ireland) Ord.	(5/4½) 5/1½
Burke (E. and J.) Deb.	(78/-) *78/-
Carroll Ord.	(22/6) 22/-
Goulding Deb.	(97/-) 97/-
Independent "B" Ord.	(41/-) *42/-
Irish-American Oil Pref.	(18/-) *17/3
Irish Sugar Pref.	(24/6) *24/9
May Roberts (Ireland) Pref.	(21/6) *21/6
Polikoff (I.F.S.) Ord.	(3/3) 3/-a
Williams and Woods Pref.	(20/3) 21/-

BRITISH INDUSTRIALS.

B.A.T. Ord.	(83/3) 83/3
Coats Ord.	(28/4½) 28/-b 28/9a
Courtaulds Ord.	(28/6) 28/9b 29/3a
Dorman Long Ord.	17/-
Dunlop Rubbers	(31/7½) 31/9b 32/3a
Electrical Construction Ord.	26/1½
English Sewing Cotton Ord.	(23/3) *23/3
Imperial Chemical Ord.	(28/9) 29/-
Imp. Tobacco Ord.	(89/4½) 89/9 89/6
Shell Transport Ord.	39/9b 40/9a
Turner and Newall Ord.	66/7½
Vickers Ord.	(14/6) 14/4½b 14/10½a

IRISH BANKS' RATES

Irish Banks' rate (changed Oct. 26, 1939)	3 %
Loans on Government Stocks transferred	3½%
Deposits	1 %

The foregoing rates are subject to variation.

OTHER EXCHANGES

BELFAST.—3½ p.c. War Loan, 103 1/16; 4 p.c. Consols, 110⅛; Ulster 5 p.c., 109; Midland Bank (Fully Paid), 9 9/32; Midland Bank £1 Shares, 78/9; Northern Bank "A," 60/-; Great Northern Railway Guaranteed, 38; White, Tomkins Ord., 35/3; Burmah Oils, 44/9; Mexican Eagles, 6/3.

CORK.—Fourth National Loan, 104; Financial Agreement Loan, 105; Conversion Loan, 109; Exchequer Bonds, 108; 4 p.c. Land Bonds, 103¾; 4½ p.c. Land Bonds, 114½; War Loan, 102 11/16; Munster Banks, 96/-, closing buyers; Provincials (Old), 33/-; Great Southern Deb., 47; Carroll Ord., 22/-, closing buyers; Dublin Distillers "A" Shares, 6/3 and 6/6; Guinness Ord., 66/-; Goulding Deb., 97/-.

MANCHESTER. — Bleachers, 1/9-2/-; Dyers, 3/3-3/6; "Slubbers," 3/9-4/3; Calicos, 2/6-3/-; Coats, 28/3-28/9; Courtaulds, 28/9-29/3; Dunlops, 32/-32/6; Cottons, 23/6-24/6; Spinners, 2/3-2/9; Henrys, 7/-7/6; Turner and Newall, 66/3-68/9; Wall Paper Def., 20/6-21/6.

FOOD AND PRODUCE MARKETS

CATTLE.

GLASGOW (Merklands).—No cattle were landed here from Eire during the past week. Two boats, which came from Belfast, however, brought a total of 300 pigs, which were taken over by the Ministry of Food.

GRAIN.

THE BALTIC.—WHEAT—Market quiet and featureless. The following are f.o.b. quotations:—No. 1 Northern Manitoba (Montreal Sorel) first half June 32/1½, ditto West (St. John) first half May 32/10½ per 480lb. MAIZE slow. Plate April-May 10/6, No. 2 white flat African bulk April-May 17/- per 480lb. BARLEY dull. Plate 64-65 kilos April-May 8/9 per 400lb.

MARK LANE CORN.—WHEAT—English 65/3 at farm, seed 80/- to 90/- per 504lb. f.o.r., cut and kibbled £17 2/6 per ton (sacks included); imported feeding £14 10/- per ton ex store. FLOUR—National straight run fixed at 25/6, all English straights 25/6, Canadian 26/-, Australian 25/9 to 26/- (bags included) per 280lb. delivered, less 4/- per sack bonus where bread is sold at 8d. per 4lb. loaf. MAIZE—Imported feeding whole Cinquantina £11 5/-, other varieties £10 per ton. Maize Meal—Home milled feeding £11 7/6, mixed white imported £11 5/-, yellow ditto £11 5/-; Hominy chop, imported £11 5/- per ton ex store.

PROVISIONS.

DUBLIN FISH.—On offer 57 packages salmon and a sprinkling from country and local senders. Demand fair at—Salmon 2/6 to 2/11, trout 2/- per lb.; cod 80/- to 85/- and ray 17/6 to 30/- per box.

DUBLIN POTATO. — Moderate supplies, with demand fair at—Kerr's Pinks, Champions and Dates 8/6, Arran Chiefs and Spry's Abundance 8/-, other whites 7/6 per cwt.

DUBLIN VEGETABLE.—Small supply cleared early at—York cabbage 30/- to 50/- small load; lettuce 2/- to 2/6 dozen; carrots 5/- to 12/- bag; rhubarb 3/6 dozen bundles; parsley 6d. to 1/- chip, and turnips 4d. to 6d. bunch.

GRIMSBY FISH. — Turbot 2/7 to 2/8, brill 2/7 to 2/8 per lb.; lemon soles 19/- to 25/-, jumbo haddocks 22/ to 23/-, medium 22/- to 23/6, gibber 22/- to 23/-; large sprags 25/- to 27/-, medium 25/- to 27/-; haddocks, sprags (heads on), ling, 18/- to 19/-; hake 28/- to 30/-, codlings 21/6, large whiting 21/- to 23/- per stone.

PRODUCE.

LONDON.—RICE slow. Siam one star April-May quoted 16/3, super 15/9 per cwt. f.o.b. SPICE—Pepper steady. Black Lampong spot in bond sellers 7d., white Muntok ditto 10¼d. Cloves—Zanzibar spot quoted 1/6 per lb. RUBBER quiet. Sheet spot sold 1/2½. May and June buyers 1/2, July-September sold 1/2⅛, October-December buyers 1/2 per lb.

LONDON METALS MARKET

TIN declined 25/- per ton for cash and 15/- forward. Standard cash quoted £270 10/- to £270 15/-, three months £266 5/- to £266 10/-; settlement, £270 15/-. QUICKSILVER—Spot, £49 to £50 per flask. IRON—Cleveland No. 3, 120/6 to 123/- per ton. ALUMINIUM—Home delivery, £110 per ton. NICKEL—Home delivery, £190 to £195 per ton. PLATINUM—Refined. £9 per oz.

DUBLIN BANKS' CLEARING

		Last year.	Decrease.
	£	£	£
Week ended 26/4/'41	5,044,900	5,279,200	-234,300
17 weeks to date	104,627,800	105,283,100	-655,300

At yesterday's meeting of Lafayette, Ltd., in Dublin, the directors' report and statement of accounts for the year ended December 31, 1940, was submitted. The retiring director, Mr. Henry P. McEntagart, was re-elected. The retiring auditors, Messrs. Stokes Bros. and Pim, were also re-elected.

LONDON

BUSINESS ON SMALL SCALE

FAIRLY CHEERFUL ATMOSPHERE

News of the German entry into Athens had no adverse effect on the London Stock Markets when trading re-opened yesterday, and, indeed, the general atmosphere was fairly cheerful, dealers being pleased with the Prime Minister's speech, whilst the announcement of the fall of Dessie helped to stimulate sentiment.

Operators continued to act with caution, however, and apart from a moderate amount of support for British Government securities, the bulk of which was directed to old War Loan, which advanced to 103 1/16 before reacting to 102½ business remained at a low point.

Foreign Bonds were chiefly noteworthy for a revival of support for Egyptian Unified, and the price recovered smartly from 74 to 75¼. Conversely, there was some selling of Far Eastern loans, and Japanese 5½ per cent Conversions finished a point off at 28. Brazilians were also out of favour. In the European group, Greek Sevens relapsed to 14.

British Rails provided very little of interest. L.M.S. Ord. exhibited a firm trend, and L.N.E. 2nd Pref. moved up to 11¼. On the other hand, Great Western Ord. was allowed to ease to 32.

Interest in Industrials was centred largely on Cable and Wireless, and the stock advanced rapidly to 63½. Breweries, in the absence of demand, were easier, Ind Coope receding to 62/9 and Guinness to 66/9. Exceptionally, Distillers Ord. added 9d. to 62/9.

Steels continued to fluctuate irregularly, and, apart from a small loss in Coats, Rayon and Textile issues were featureless. Motors and Aircrafts found a place among the more animated sections, and when trading ceased Bristols, Leylands, and Rolls Royce were all higher, the last-named being prominent at 73/1½. In other directions, Dunlops, "Emmies," and Chemicals were all well maintained, whilst Beechams Defd. were quoted 7/10½ ex div.

Mines gave a featureless performance. The only point of interest among Kaffir dividend payers was a modest demand for Goldfields, which lifted the shares to 35/7½. Rhodesian Coppers remained stagnant, with Roans down to 12/3. Among West Africans, Ashantis declined to 40/-, and G.C. Selection to 8/9. Diamonds attracted a certain amount of attention, which enabled both the De Beers issues to close ⅛ higher.

Most of the Oil leaders were lower. Burmahs and Anglo-Iranians were prominent among the weaker issues, whilst Leaseholds dropped 7½d. to 64/4½. The Eagle "twins" were no exception to the surrounding trend, Canadians easing to 7/7½ and Mexicans to 6/3.

STEADY CLOSE ON WALL STREET

NEW YORK, Monday.

The technical strength of the Stock Market encouraged nibbling here and there, but tax prospects, price controls, and the persistence of the coal deadlock were all dampeners, though the American Iron and Steel Institute's estimate topped recent predictions.

The turnover of 310,000 shares comprised 588 issues, of which 250 were higher, 173 were lower, and 165 were unchanged.

The close was steady.—(Reuter.)

	Mon	Sat
Call Money	1¼	1%
London Cables	4.03¼	4.03
Montreal Cables	4.56	4.57⅛

Parity.	Stocks.	Closing Bid Mon	Closing Bid Sat
4⅛	Baltimore and Ohio	3⅜	3½
4 7/16	Canadian Pacific	3⅝	3⅝
84¼	Louisville and Nashville	68	68½
15	N.Y. Central	12⅛	12
248 1/16	Norfolk and W. Com.	200¼	200
29 7/16	Pennsylvania	23¾	23¾
17¾	Reading	14⅜	14¼
13½	Southern Pacific	10⅞	10¾
15⅝	Southern Railway	12⅝	12½
96⅝	Union Pacific	78	77¼
	INDUSTRIALS.		
181 3/16	Allied Chemical	146¼	147⅜
—	American Locomotive	—	—
—	American Metal	—	—
100 11/16	American Can	81¼	82
45⅜	American Smelting	36⅝	36½
191 3/16	American Tel. and Tel.	154⅝	154⅛
29⅛	Anaconda Copper	23½	23¼
86⅛	Bethlehem Steel	69½	69¼
—	Case (J. I.)	—	—
71 9/16	Chrysler Corp.	57¾	57⅝
154¾	Eastman Kodak	124⅞	125
36 9/16	General Electric	29½	29½
46 7/16	General Motors	37½	37⅝
34⅜	International Nickel	27¾	27⅝
2⅝	Do Tel and Tel.	2⅛	2⅛
39 15/16	Kennecott Copper	32¼	32⅜
4 13/16	Radio Corporation	3⅞	3¾
15 3/16	Shell Union	12⅛	12¼
26 5/16	U.S. Rubber	21¼	21⅛
64¾	U.S. Steel Common	52¼	51⅜
148 1/16	Do. Preferred	119½	119½
34 3/16	Woolworth	27⅝	28
—	Silver Com. Bars	34¾	—
4 15/16	Brazilian Traction	4	4
10½	B.A. Tobacco Coupon	8½	8½
	BONDS.		
—	U.S. Treas. 3¾% '46-56	—	—
13 15/16	7% German Ext. Loan	11¼	—

MONTREAL EXCHANGE

Eng. Equiv.		Closing Bid Mon.	Closing Bid Sat.
167 13/16	Bell Tel. (Canada)	150	149½
6 7/16	Brazilian T.L. and P.	5¾	5¾
24⅝	B.C. Power "A"	22	—
1 11/16	Do. "B"	1.50	1.50
6⅞	Canadian Car and F.	6⅛	6⅛
24 1/16	Do. Preferred	21½	21½
22 15/16	Canadian Celanese Com.	20½	20½
—	Do. Pref.	—	115
5 1/16	Canadian Cement	4½	4⅞
5⅝	Canadian Pacific	5	5⅛
4 13/16	Cockshutt Plow	4¼	4¼
37 3/16	Con. M. and Smelt.	33¼	33¼
22⅜	Distillers Seagrams	20	—
—	Dom. Textiles	—	71
10 3/16	Imperial Oil	9⅛	9⅛
13 7/16	Imp. Tobacco (Canada)	12	12¼
35 13/16	Int. Nickel of Canada	32	31¾
16½	International Petroleum	14¾	14
2½	Massey Harris	2¼	2¼
24⅞	Montreal Light and Heat	22¼	22⅜
23½	National Breweries	21	21½
39¾	National Steel Car	35½	36
—	Power Corp. (Canada)	—	—
13⅛	Quebec Power	11¾	—
14⅞	Shawinigan Water	13¼	13½
10 1/16	Southern Canadian Power	9	9
71 5/16	Steel Co. of Canada	63¾	—
14	Hollinger Mines	12½	12⅝
58 3/16	Noranda Mines	52	52½
201⅜	Bank of Montreal	180	181
—	Canadian Bank of Com.	—	149
170 1/16	Royal Bank of Canada	152	152
	CURB PRICES.		
43 3/16	Hiram Walker	38⅝	39
20⅜	Lake Shore Mines	18¼	18¼
53⅛	McIntyre Porcupine	47½	47½

† Ex dividend.

THE MONEY MARKET

In view of the heavy demands on the banks for Treasury deposits this week, credit conditions yesterday were rather unexpectedly comfortable. In consequence overnight money was in adequate supply, with some outside balances available at ½ per cent.

Centre	April 28 Closing Rates		April 26 Closing Rates	
New York*	4.02½	4.03½	4.02½	4.03½
Montreal*	4.43	4.47	4.43	4.47
Geneva*	17.30	17.40	17.30	17.40
Madrid	40.50		40.50	
Stockholm*	16.85	16.95	16.85	16.95
Alexandria	97⅜	97⅝	97⅜	97⅝
Athens	515 sellers		515 sellers	
Helsingf's.	180	210	180	210
Lisbon*	99.80	100.20	99.80	100.20
B. Ayres*	16.95¾	17.13	16.95¾	17.13
Lima	†		†	
M'video	†		†	
Rio de Jan.	†		†	
Valparaiso	†		†	
Calcutta	17 15/16d	18d	17 15/16d	18d
Hongkong	14⅞d	15⅛d	14⅞d	15⅛d
Kobe(p.y.)	13⅞d	14⅝d	13⅞d	14⅝d
Shanghai	3d	3½d	3d	3½d
Singapore	28 1/16d	28 5/16d	28 1/16d	28 5/16d

* Official Rates. † Special Account.

COMPANY NEWS

Anglo-Burma Tin. — Interim 7½ p.c. (against 10 p.c.).

African Theatres.—Net profit £138,148 (against £169,080). Dividend on Ord. 20 p.c. (same).

Brampton Brewery.—Final of 7½ p.c., making 10 p.c. (same).

Currys. — Profit £66,126 (against £59,656). Dividend 10 per cent. (same).

Hopkinsons.—Final dividend on the Ord. of 10 per cent., making 15 per cent. for the year (same) Net profit £240,600 (against £209,131).

Joshua Bigwood and Son.—Interim 5 p.c. One payment of 10 p.c. was made last year.

Strand Hotel.—No interim dividend on the Participating Prefd.-Ord. shares. The dividend on the 7 p.c. and 8 p.c. Cum. Pref. shares for the half-year to March 31, 1941, will be paid on June 1. Last year an interim of 2½ p.c. was paid on the Prefd., but there was no final.

Scottish Union and National Insurance—Profits £123,339, compared with £139,681. Dividends are lower, the "A" shares receiving 4/6 (against 5/6) and the "B" shares 16/10½ (against 20/7½).

Telegraph Condenser.—Net profit £31,921 (against £18,483). Ord. dividend 5 p.c. (against nil).

Union Bank of Scotland.—Profit £298,481 (against £303,162). Dividend 18 p.c. (same).

Walters "Palm" Toffee.—Net profit £24,720 (against £10,425).

Weston Foods.—Interim 10 p.c. One dividend of 10 p.c. was paid last year.

PETROL RATIONING

The amount of petrol imported during April makes it possible to issue licences for a slightly greater aggregate amount than was made available for the current month. The Minister for Supplies has, therefore, decided to issue licences for a limited amount of petrol to owners of motor cycles and private cars. These licences will be allocated on the following basis for the month of May:—

Motor Cycles	**2 gallons**
Cars from 8 to 10 h.p.	**4 gallons**
Cars over 10 h.p. and not exceeding 16 h.p.	**6 gallons**
Cars exceeding 16 h.p.	**10 gallons**

Clergymen, doctors, veterinary surgeons, etc., who have received petrol licences for February, March and April will receive the licences referred to in this announcement in addition to licences on the same basis as in April

The Minister desires to emphasise the fact that the quantity of petrol available does not permit of special consideration being given to individual cases, and all private car owners whose cars are taxed will receive licences for the flat allowances mentioned above, provided the usual white ration card has been received.

NO SUPPLEMENTARY ALLOWANCE CAN BE GRANTED TO ANY PRIVATE CAR OWNER, AND NO APPLICATION FOR SUCH AN ALLOWANCE CAN BE ENTERTAINED. THIS NOTICE MUST BE ACCEPTED AS FINAL. THE DEPARTMENT OF SUPPLIES CANNOT UNDERTAKE TO ENTER INTO CORRESPONDENCE ON THIS MATTER WITH ANY CAR OWNER, NOR CAN PERSONAL REPRESENTATIONS AT THE OFFICES OF THE DEPARTMENT BE ENTERTAINED.

It must be clearly understood that the distribution of licences to which this announcement refers is for the month of May. At this stage **NO ASSURANCE WHATEVER** can be given that petrol will be available for private cars after the 31st May.

Owners of commercial vehicles and of plant will receive the same allowances as in the month of April.

The licences to be granted to private car owners will not have coupons attached. The appropriate Order was made to-day by the Minister providing for the exchange of these licences in connection with the purchase or sale of petrol in the same manner as coupons. All other licences will have coupons attached as hitherto.

The Order also provides that:—

(1) Only a motor spirit dealer may detach coupons from any licence.

(2) No person shall have in his possession coupons detached from a licence except a dealer who has purchased or sold petrol in exchange for such coupons.

(3) No person shall have in his possession a private motor owner's licence except the licensee or a dealer who has purchased or sold petrol in exchange for such licence.

(4) No person shall make or have in his possession any imitation of a motor spirit licence or coupon.

(5) No person shall sell or offer for sale any motor spirit licence or coupon.

The Department must once more warn all motor vehicle owners that the greatest possible economy in the consumption of petrol continues to be essential.

JOHN LEYDON, Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF SUPPLIES,
28th APRIL, 1941.

LONDON CLOSING PRICES

* Ex Dividend. † Ex Rights. ‡ Dealings Prohibited. ‖ Ex Bonus.

BRITISH FUNDS

Consols 2½%	77 1/16	77 5/16	-1/16
Do. 4%	110⅜	110⅝	
3½% War Loan	102⅞	103*	+1/16
3% War Loan	100 5/16	100 7/16	
Funding Loan	112⅛	112⅜	
Victory Bonds	110⅞	111⅛	+⅛
3% Conver.	101½	101¾	
3½% do.	103⅜	103⅝	
5% do.	106⅛	106⅜	
2½% Land	83	85	
I.F.S. 4½% Ld.	112	114	
India 3%	86¾	87¾	+¼
Do. 3½%	98¾	99¾	
Local Loan	90⅛	90⅜	
Nat. Def. 2½%	100	100¼	

DOMINION AND COLONIAL STOCKS.

Aust.			Qld		
5% '45-75	105		5% '40-60	100	
4% '55-70	105		S. Af.		
3½% '48-53.	101¾	+¾	3% '54-64	97	
Can			3½% '55-65.	103	
4% '40-60	100½		S. Aust.		
N.S.W.			5% '45-75	105	
5% '45-65	105		4% '40-60	101	
4% '42-62	101		Vic.		
N.Z.			4% '40-60	101	
3% '52-55.	93		5% '45-75	105	
3½% '55-60.	100	+1	W. Aust.		
			5% '45-75	104	
Nigerian 6%	118		4% '42-62	101	

BONDS, RAILS, BANKING.

Brazil 6½% '27	15½	-½	L.P.T.B 5% A.	125½		Cordoba 1st Deb.	65	
Do 5% Fd. '98	45		Do 4½% A.	119½		Do. 2nd Deb.	62	
Do. 20-Year A	44	-1	Do. B	113½		Gd. Tk 4% Guar.	101	
Do. 40-Year B.	32		Do. C	30		San Paulo	31½	
Chinese 4½% '98	38		Sth. Pref. Ord.	46		Bank of England	352½	
Do 5% '12	19½		Do Def. Ord.	9⅜		Bank of Mont'l.	48*	
Czecho-Slovakian	34		Do. 5% Pref.	88½		Barclay A	10	
Egyptian Unified	75½	+1½	Arg. Gt. W. 5% Deb.	30		Lloyds	46/3	
French Loan	6‡		B.A. Mid. 4% Deb.	39½		Martins	7⅝	
German Pot.	12		B.A. Gt. Sth.	4	-¼	Midland	7½	
Greek 7% '24	14	-½	Do 4% Deb.	41½		National Prov.	41/6	
Do. 5% '14	15		B.A. & Pacific 4% Deb.	59		Standard S.A.	13⅞	
Japan 6% '24	22		Do. Con. 4½% Deb.	29½		Westminster	66/6	
Do. 5½% Conv.	28	-1	B.A. & Western	3		Do £4, £1 pd.	70/6	
Great Western	32	-¼	Do. 4% Deb.	33¼		Alliance New	18¼	-¼
Do. 5% Pref.	93½		Canadian Pacific	7¾	+⅛	London & Lan.	23⅛	-⅛
L.M.S. Ord.	11⅞	+⅛	Do. 4% Deb.	97	+1	Pearl	13	
Do. 4% Pref.	53		C. Arg. 4% Deb.	23½	-1	Phœnix £10	10½	
Do. 5% Rd. Pf.	84		Do 5% Deb. 1967-87	23	-1	Prudential	19½	-¼
Do. 4% Pf '23	36					Do. B	73/0	
L.N.E. Pf. Ord.	2⅝					Royal Exchange	7¾	
Do. Def.	1½					Royal	7⅝*	
Do 1st Pref.	34					Sun Life	5⅝	
Do. 2nd Pref.	11¾	+¼				Yorkshire	6	

INDUSTRIALS, ETC.

Allied Iron	11/10½	-0/7½	Carreras A	75/0		Lever & Unilever	21/0	
Austin (5/-)	12/7½	+0/1½	Do. B	9/6		Do. 8% Pref.	1 9/32	
Allied News	13/6		Cerebos	8¼		Do. 7% Pref.	1⅜	
Associated Def.	6/9		Crittal Manufg.	9/0		Lever N.V.	16/3	
Aerated Bread	5/0		City of London	20/7½		London Brick	48/0	
Assoc. Cement	48/9		County of London	30/0		Lancashire	31/6	
Assoc. Brit. Pict.	4/9		Callenders	59/4½		Metro. Electric	31/3	
Assoc. Electric	39/6		Crom. Parkinson	18/6		Mitchell & B.	62/0	-0/3
Babcock & Wil.	39/0	+0/3	Dorman Long	17/3	-0/3	Morris	25/10½	
Baldwins	4/6		De Havilland	32/6		Maypole Def.	1/6	
Bolsover Colliery	42/6		Dunlop Rubber	32/3	+0/3	Marconi	22/6	
Brown (J.)	26/3	+0/9	Distillers	62/9	+0/9	Murex	78/9*	
B.S.A.	16/10½		Daily Mail Trust	13/6		Marks & Spencer	31/6	
Boulton & Paul	3/3		Eastwoods	30/7½		Oriental Tel.	2 7/16	
Bristol Aero	10/0	+0/1½	Elec. & Mus Ind.	7/4½		O.K. Bazaars A	26/9	
Bovril Def.	21/10½	-0/1½	English Electric	30/9		Pease & Partners	8/9	-0/3
Bleachers	2/3		English Cotton	23/9	+0/3	Powell Duffryn	11/9	
Bradford Dyers	3/4½		Edmundsons	25/0		Pressed Steel	17/9	
British Celanese	3/7½		Ever Ready G.B	25/6		P. & O. Def.	22/4½	
Do. 2nd Pref.	8/9	-0/3	Firth Brown	3⅛		Patons & Bald.	46/10½	
Brit. Amer. Tob.	83/9		Forestal Land	22/0		Pye Def.	11/3	
Beechams	31/6		Fairey Aviation	11/3		Ruston & H.	25/6	+0/3
Do. Defd.	7/10½*		Ford	17/7½	+0/3	Rolls Royce	73/1½	+0/10½
Boots Drug	35/3	+0/3	Finlay (J.)	53/9		Reckitt	4 7/16	
Borax Def.	28/1½	-0/7½	Furness Withy	18/7½		S.A. Breweries	109/0	
Brazilian Tract.	7¼		Fine Spinners	2/9		South Durham	19/0	
British Alum.	39/4½	-0/1½	Gallaher	4 15/32		Staveley	44/4½	
British Match	29/10½		Gamage	7/6		Stewart & L. Def.	42/6	+0/3
British Oil Cake	38/0		Godfrey Phillips	26/10½		Sudan Plants	22/0	+0/3
British Oxygen	63/1½	-0/7½	Grest Keen	21/9	-0/3	Standard	11/0	
Brit. Plaster Brd	13/3		Guinness	66/9	-0/3	Sunday Pictorial	14/0	
Brit. P. Cement	72/6		General Electric	79/6		Scribbans	6/1½	
Brit. P. & L.	24/0		Home & Colonial	2/6		Schweppes	28/6	
Bass Ratcliff	105/6		Harrods	25/0		Spillers	51/3	
Brewers of Van.	16/3		Hadfields	21/6		Siemens	19/6	-0/6
Burton	9/4½		Hudson's Bay	23/9		Thomas (R.)	2/6	
British Insuld.	82/0		Hawker Siddeley	11/3	-0/3	Tilling (T.)	42/0	
Courage Brew.	42/6	-0/6	Harland & Wolff	12/3		Tob. Secs. Trust	49/4½*	
Cammell Laird	6/6		Henley's Tel.	20/0		Tate and Lyle	48/10½	-0/4½
Colvilles	20/3*		International Tea	11/3	+0/3	Triplex Glass	18/4½	-0/1½
Consett Iron	6/0		Imperial Tobacco	90/0		Tube Investment	89/4½	
Cory (Wm.)	70/0		Do. Canada	3		Turner & Newall	67/6	
Clan Line	4⅜		Imp. Chemicals	29/3		United Steel	21/6	+0/1½
Coast Lines	6/7½		Imp. Smelting	9/6		United South	86/3	
Cab & W. Ord.	63¼	+1¼	Internat. Combus.	4 9/16		United Molasses	22/9	
Do. 5½% Pref.	98½		Internat. Nickel	39⅞	+⅛	Vickers	14/7½	
Do. 4% Fund.	100½		Ind Coope	63/9	-0/9	Wall Paper Def.	20/7½	
Calico Printers	3/0	+0/1½	Johnson & Ph.	2⅛		White Tomkins	35/0	
Canadian Celan.	5½		Leyland	59/4½	+0/7½	Watney Def.	38/0	+0/6
Coats	28/4½	-0/3	Lyons (J.)	80/0		Woolworth	46/9	
Courtaulds	29/0		Lister	5/7½				

MINING SHARES.

Anglo-American	30/0		General Mining	3¼		Rhokana	6¾	
Ariston	6/9		Govt. Areas	30/7½		Rio Tinto	7	
Ashanti	40/0	-1/3	Grootvlei	4 7/16		Roan Antelope	12/3	-0/3
Amal. Banket	4/0		Ipoh	1 3/16		Robinson Deep B	2½	
Bibiani	16/9		J'burg Cons.	33/0		Rose Deep	2 1/16	
B.sichi	6/6		Kamunting	6/3		South Kalgurli	⅝	
Bkn. Hill Prop.	1½*		Kleinfontein	2 11/16		Selec. Trust	8/0	
Do. South	18/1½	-0/4½	Krampat P.	7/6		Simmer & Jack	17/3	
Blyvoor	11/6		Lake V & S.	17/0		S.A. Land	88/3	
Brakpan	37/6		Langlaagte	8/6		S.W. Africa	16/3	
Central Mining	11¼		Libanon	7/6	-0/3	Springs	20/7½	
Cam. & Motor	13/16		London & Rhod.	2/3		Sub Nigel	7⅛	
Chartered	18/3		London Tin	3/6		Taquah & A.	18/1½	
City Deep	2½		Luipaards Vlei	18/3		Tronoh	17/6	-1/3
Cons. African Sel.	10/3	+0/3	Malayan	28/9		Union Corp.	6¾	+⅛
Cons. G.F.	35/7½	+1/3	Marlu	4/9		Van D. Con.	21/3	
Cons. M.R.	3¼		Marievale	16/9		Van Ryn	⅝	
Cons. M Sel.	13/9		Modder	16/10½		Do. Deep	20/0	
Crown	1⅞		Do. East	4⅛		Venterspost	27/6	
Daggafontein	1 31/32		New State A.	1¾	+1/16	Vereeniging	2	
De Beers	5	+⅛	Nigel	2½	-⅛	Victoria Falls	3¼	
Do Pref.	8⅝	+⅛	Nourse	2¼		Vlakfontein	15/0	
Durban Deep	2 29/32		Palmietkuil	3/3	-0/3	Vogels'bult	21/10½	
East Dagga	1 27/32		Petaling	22/0		West. Holding	9/6	
East Geduld	9 9/16	-1/16	Rand Mines	7	+⅛	West Rand	1 3/16	
E Rand Prop.	40/0		Rand Selection	15/7½		Western Reefs	24/3	
G.C. Selection	8/9	-0/9	Randfontein Est.	35/7½		West. Springs	35/7½	
Great Bld. Prop.	4/4½		Rezende	¼		West. Wit. A.	2 15/16	
Geduld	6⅞		Rhod. Ang. A.	11/6		Witwaters Deep	⅞	
Geldenhuis Deep	23/9		Rhodesian Selec.	9/0		Wiluna	5/0	

OILS.			RUBBERS.					
Anglo-Ecuad.	18/3		Allagar	0/7½		Malacca	11/3	
Anglo Iranian	28/1½	-1/3	All. Sumatra	8/1½		Malayalam	27/6*	
Do. 8% 1st Pf.	21/0	-1/0	Anglo-Dutch	13/9		Merliman P.	2/1½	
Do 9% 2nd Pf.	20/6	-0/9	Anglo-Java 1/-	0/4½		Orient Trust	11/3	
Apex (Trinidad)	25/7½		Anglo-Malay	6/3		Pataling	26/3	
Attock	30/0	-0/7½	Batu Tiga	26/3		Rambutan	1/1½	
Burmah	45/0	+1/3	Bukit Mertajam	1/10½		Rim Malacca	1/3	
Canadian Eagle	7/7½	-0/1½	Central Perak	1/3		Rubber Trust	25/0	
Kern Oil	3/0		Chersonese	1/3		Sedenak	21/3	
Lobitos	25/7½		Cheviot	2/9		S. Siput	2/4½	
Lond. & Thames Haven	1/6		Cicely	2/1½		Taiping	0/10½	
Mexican Eagle	6/3	-0/1½	Djasinga	6/10½		Tandjong	11/3	
Phœnix	1/0		Golden Hope	15/0		Do. Malim	8/9	
Royal Dutch	16		Grand Central	10/0		Telogoredjo	8/1½	
Shell	40/7½		Highlands	21/3		U. Sua Betong	41/3	
Trinidad Lease.	64/4½	-0/7½	Java Amal.	8/9		Utd. Sum. (1/-)	0/6	
Do. Pet. Dev.	54/4½	+0/7½	Jugra Lands	8/9		Utd. Serdang	2/0	
V.O.C. Holdings	1 5/16		Kuala Lumpur	15/0		Vallambrosa	5/3	
			London Asiatic	2/9		Yam Seng	2/1½	

COUNCILLORS' RATES

COURT REFERENCES RESENTED

Protests against what was alleged to be defamation of character were made at a meeting of Dublin County Council last night, when it was suggested that at a recent rates prosecution at Lucan Court the District Justice was handed a slip said to have contained the names of three members of the Council who owed rates.

The matter was referred to the law adviser for investigation, with a view to taking suitable action.

The subject was raised by Mr. T. Cosgrave, who said that some action should be taken because people were under the impression that every member of the Council owed rates.

The Chairman (Mr. J. J. Clare) described it as a grave reflection on every member of the Council. They had been told that the names of three Councillors had been given to the Court

Mr. W. Rollins—Does Deputy Belton owe any rates? Chairman—No.

Mr P. Belton, T.D., said that at the hearing of the prosecution at Lucan one witness stated that from inspection of the rate books he could not say if County Councillors owed rates, but his information was that they did. The suggestion made in the case was that those who did not pay rates were picking the pockets of the ratepayers. He understood that one of the names on the list was his. He had paid nearly £600 to the County Council, over £200 to the Dun Laoghaire Council, and over £500 to the Dublin Corporation. It was serious defamation of character and the person who had made the suggestion that he owed rates would not get away with it. He was satisfied that the whole thing was a "set-up" to injure his credit.

In reply to a question, the Law Agent stated that in the cases of the other two members who were said to have been on the list, drastic action had been taken to recover the rates in one instance and there were complications regarding liability in the other.

WOOL

BRADFORD.—It is becoming more difficut to keep machinery employed owing to the falling off in amount of Government work. Many orders on which spinners and manufacturers have been engaged for some time are now completed. Home civilian trade is negligible. Yarn quotations are mainly for botany sorts, and they remain very firm.

For the first time their premium income had exceeded £70,000, and the increase of more than £4,000 since the previous account was, in these difficult times, an advance not easily achieved, said Mr. John McCann, Chairman, at yesterday's meeting of the Insurance Corporation of Ireland, Ltd. In the profit and loss account they had available the sum of £8,065; £3,500 would be written off preliminary expenses, £3,000 put to reserve, and £1,565 carried forward. The report was adopted.

PUBLIC AMUSEMENTS.

GAIETY THEATRE
RATHMINES AND RATHGAR MUSICAL SOCIETY presents
TO-NIGHT and FRIDAY, at 8:
"PATIENCE."
Wednesday and Saturday, at 8:
"YEOMEN OF THE GUARD."
Thursday at 8. Saturday Matinee, 2.30:
"THE GONDOLIERS."
BOOKING DAILY 10 A.M. TO 9 P.M.

OLYMPIA 6.45—Continuous—11.
On the Stage: Phil Murtagh and His Band. On the Screen: "Jimmy Fiddler's Personality Parade." Admission Prices—Stalls, 1/4; Circle, 1/-; Gallery, 6d.

ABBEY THEATRE AT 8.15
"THE MONEY DOESN'T MATTER,"
A COMEDY, by LOUIS D'ALTON.
CONTINUED FOR ANOTHER WEEK.
SUNDAY NEXT (4th MAY, 1941),
AT 8.15 P.M.
Special Synge Performance.
"IN THE SHADOW OF THE GLEN."
"DEIRDRE OF THE SORROWS."

GATE 'Phone 44045.
NIGHTLY, at 8.15.
"MRS. WARREN'S PROFESSION,"
By GEORGE BERNARD SHAW.
MATINEE SATURDAY, 2.30.

METROPOLE TO-DAY AT 2.15, 4.30, 7.0, 9.20
TYRONE POWER, LINDA DARNELL, in
"THE MARK OF ZORRO."

GRAFTON Continuous Daily 2.40, 5.0, 7.15, 9.30
WILL HAY—CLAUDE HULBERT, in
"GHOST OF ST. MICHAEL'S."

CORINTHIAN
JAMES CAGNEY. JANE BRYAN. GEORGE RAFT.
"EACH DAWN I DIE."
At 2.45, 5.0, 7.15, 9.30.

THEATRE DE LUXE
Dublin's Super-Cinema, 3.30-11.0. Camden st.
JON HALL as
"KIT CARSON."
SHOWING at 4.24, 6.54, 9.24.

FATHER MATHEW HALL
(CHURCH STREET).
DRAMATIC FESTIVAL.
TO-NIGHT, at 8 o'c.

PUBLIC NOTICES.

CUMANN CROISE DEIRGE NA hÉIREANN.
THE IRISH RED CROSS SOCIETY.

SUBSCRIPTION LIST.

The following donations have been received since our last lists were published in Saturday's papers, and are acknowledged with grateful thanks:—

	£	s.	d.
Already acknowledged	£3,638	11	0
J. Healy, Esq.	3	3	0
Very Revd. Canon McGuirk, St. Agatha's, Dublin	3	3	0
"For Refugees"	3	0	0
Miss Powell 9 Argyle Road, Herbert Park	1	10	0
O Lloyd Mahony, Bank of Ireland, Claremorris	1	1	0
Dorothy Mary	0	5	0
Miss Gertrude B. Walker, 266 Hamstead Rd., Handsworth, Birmingham	0	3	0

2/6 each from:—Miss Murphy, 87 Eglinton Road; Anonymous; "Dun Laoghaire"; Mrs. Madden.

DR. ROBERT ALLISON,
Deceased,
CHURCH STREET, COLERAINE.

FOR SALE, the well-established MIXED PRIVATE AND PANEL PRACTICE of the above. The Residence is well situated for the carrying on of the practice, and is commodious, and will be Sold or Let to the Purchaser.

Full particulars from:
BRITISH MEDICAL BUREAU,
c/o James Baird & Company,
Incorporated Accountants, 72
High street, Belfast.

INTERCESSION FOR PEACE
A Meeting is to be held in the
FRIENDS' MEETING HOUSE,
6 EUSTACE STREET,
EVERY TUESDAY, 1 to 1.30 o'clock.

REGISTRATION OF CLUBS (IRELAND) ACT, 1904, AND INTOXICATING LIQUORS (GENERAL) ACT, 1924.

Take Notice that it is my intention to apply at the District Court, Swords, for a renewal of the Certificate of Registration for PORTMARNOCK GOLF CLUB.

W. C. K. MEEKE, Secretary.
Club House, Portmarnock,
April 28th, 1941.

CONTRACTS.

CORPORATION OF DUBLIN.
MOBILE CANTEENS.

The Corporation requires Tenders for the Construction of two Canteen Bodies and Equipment for attachment to Ford V.8 Chassis.

Particulars and drawings can be obtained from the Office of the City Treasurer, Lord Edward Street, Dublin, on payment of a fee of 5/-, which is not returnable.

Tenders must be lodged as directed not later than 12 noon on SATURDAY, 3rd May, 1941.

P. J. HERNON,
City Manager and Town Clerk.
Dublin, 28th April, 1941.

LEGAL NOTICES.

STATUTORY NOTICE TO CREDITORS.
In the Goods of
MRS. MARGARET JANE POWELL, late of 9 Argyle road, Herbert Park, in the City of Dublin, Widow, Deceased.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, pursuant to the Statute 22 and 23 Vic., Cap. 35, that all persons claiming to be creditors of or otherwise to have any claims or demands against the estate of the above-named Deceased, who died on the 4th day of July, 1940, are hereby required, on or before the 28th day of May, 1941, to furnish (in writing) the particulars of such claims or demands to the undersigned Solicitors for the Executors of the Will of the said Deceased, to whom Probate thereof was granted on the 27th day of March, 1941, forth of the Principal Probate Registry of the High Court of Justice in Eire.

AND NOTICE IS HEREBY FURTHER GIVEN that after the said 28th day of May, 1941, the said Executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said Deceased, having regard only to the claims of which notice and particulars shall have been given as above required.

Dated this 28th day of April, 1941.
JAMES O'BRIEN & CO., Solicitors for the said Executors, 38 St. Stephen's Green, Dublin, and 24 Castle street, Nenagh.

STATUTORY NOTICE TO CREDITORS
In the Goods of
JANE NICHOLL, late of Templetate, Smithboro', County Monaghan, Widow, Deceased.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, pursuant to the Statute, that all persons claiming to be creditors against the estate or assets of the above-named Deceased, who died on the 7th day of June, 1940, are hereby required on or before the 15th day of May, 1941, to furnish (in writing) the particulars of such claims or demands to the undersigned Solicitors for the Executors, to whom Probate of the Will was granted on the 25th day of July, 1940, and in default thereof the said Executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said Deceased, having regard only to the claims and demands of which notice and particulars shall have been given as above required.

Dated this 25th day of April, 1941.
PARKE and McWILLIAM, Solicitors for Executors, Monaghan, and 13 Bachelor's Walk, Dublin.

NOTICE OF CHARITABLE BEQUESTS.
In the Goods of
ALICE MORAN, late of 96 North Circular Road, in the City of Dublin, Widow, deceased.

Notice is hereby given, pursuant to the Statute 30 and 31 Vic., Cap. 54, that the above-named deceased by her Will dated the 22nd August, 1939, made the following charitable bequests:—

1. To her Executor the sum of Twenty Pounds, to be expended by him in his discretion for Masses for the repose of her soul and the soul of her deceased husband.
2. All the residue of her property to be sold and converted into money, and, subject to the payment of her debts, funeral and testamentary expenses, she directed that one-third thereof be paid to the Catholic Protection and Rescue Society of Ireland, 30 South Anne Street, Dublin, for the charitable purposes of the said Society.

The deceased died on the 20th December, 1940, and Probate of her said Will was, on the 21st April, 1941, granted forth of the Principal Registry of the High Court of Justice (Probate) in Eire to Bryan McCabe, the sole Executor therein named.

Dated this 28th day of April, 1941.
O'HANLON & ROBINSON, Solicitors for the said Executor, 3 Lower O'Connell Street, Dublin.
To the Commissioners of Charitable Donations and Bequests and to all whom it may concern.

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International Stars of Stage and Screen.
ARTHUR SINCLAIR AND CO. PRESENT "SPECIAL PLEADING." One-Act Comedy Coincidence.
ROBERT IRWIN IRISH BARITONE.
And the Super Musical Spectacle,
GENE AUTRY, "SCHNOZZLE" DURANTE, ANN MILLER, in
"MELODY RANCH."

REGAL ROOMS CINEMA. At 2.20, 4.40, 7 o'c., 9.18.
Judy Garland, George Murphy, Arthur Shields, in
"LITTLE NELLIE KELLY."

SAVOY At 2 o'c., 4.30, 6.50, 9.20. IN TECHNICOLOUR.
"THIEF OF BAGDAD."
SABU, CONRAD VEIDT, JUNE DUPREZ.

CAPITOL TO-DAY, AT 2.38, 4.52, 7.6, 9.20.
Boris Karloff, Helen Parrish, Peter Lorre, with Kay Kyser and his Band, in
"YOU'LL FIND OUT."

ASTOR FIRST TIME TO EIRE At 3 o'c., 5.17, 7.34, 9.51
Drama Such as the Screen has Never Known.
"13 MEN AND A GUN."

CARLTON Showing at 2.45, 5.0, 7.15, 9.30.
"THE LADY IN QUESTION"
With Rita Hayworth and Brian Aherne.
Dramatic Comedy Romance.

ADELPHI At 2.20, 4.42, 7.4, 9.26.
GEORGE RAFT, ANN SHERIDAN, in
"THE ROAD TO FRISCO,"
With IDA LUPINO, HUMPHREY BOGART.

PAVILION DUN LAOGHAIRE. Con. 3.0 to 10.30 p.m.
DEANNA DURBIN
In her Latest Musical Success,
"SPRING PARADE."
SHOWING at 3.57, 6.31 and 9.5 p.m.

ASTORIA DUN LAOGHAIRE. For Perfect Sound and Comfort 3 to 10.30.—"Winter Carnival," with Richard Carlson, Helen Parrish, Robert Armstrong. Also "I Was an Adventuress," with Richard Greene, Zorina.

REGENT CINEMA, BLACKROCK.
ALBERT DEKKER and JANICE LOGAN in
"DR. CYCLOPS."
Also WILLIAM BOYD in
"LAW OF THE PAMPAS."

GREEN—To-day at 3; 5.15, 7.30, 9.45. WILL MAHONEY: "COME UP SMILING" (First Run Eire). Also James Newell: "DANGER AHEAD."

FEIS MÓR RÁṪMAONAIS
(RATHMINES FEIS).
25th MAY to JUNE 8th, 1941.
Feis Ġaeḋealaċ ... 25aḋ Bealtaine
Rinnce .... 23aḋ Bealtaine
Musical Festival, 1st June.

ENTRIES CLOSE 18th MAY, 1941.

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GOVERNMENT NOTICES.

AN ROINN TALMHAIDHEACHTA.
(Department of Agriculture.)
FOOT AND MOUTH DISEASE.

Notice is hereby given that the Minister for Agriculture has made the following Orders under the Diseases of Animals (Ireland) Acts 1894 to 1938, viz.:—

1. Foot and Mouth Disease (Kilkenny and Tipperary (South Riding) Local Restrictions) Order (No. 2) (Amendment) Order, 1941, extending the Area in Co. Kilkenny in which the Movement of hay and straw and of dogs is at present restricted.
2. Foot and Mouth Disease (Infected Place) Order (No. 209), 1941.
3. Foot and Mouth Disease (Infected Place) Order (No. 210), 1941.
4. Foot and Mouth Disease (Infected Place) Order (No. 211), 1941.
5. Foot and Mouth Disease (Infected Place) Order (No. 212), 1941.
6. Foot and Mouth Disease (Infected Place) Order (No. 213), 1941, and
7. Foot and Mouth Disease (Infected Place) Order (No. 214), 1941.

declaring certain lands and premises in the Counties Kilkenny and Limerick and in the County Borough of Dublin to be places infected with Foot and Mouth Disease.

Advance copies of the Orders may be obtained on application to the Secretary, Department of Agriculture (Veterinary Section), Dublin.

D. TWOMEY,
Secretary.
28th April 1941.

COAL FOR INDUSTRIAL PURPOSES.

Persons or firms who require coal for industrial purposes, that is, other than for household or domestic use, and whose normal requirements are not less than 5 tons per month, should communicate with the Department of Supplies and furnish the following information:—

1. Name and address of user.
2. Nature and place of business.
3. Number of persons employed.
4. Particulars of plant in which coal is used.
5. Type of coal, i.e., gas, steam or anthracite.
6. Consumption of coal during each of the twelve months ended 31st August, 1939.
7. Estimated consumption of coal during each of the six months commencing 1st May, 1941.
8. Quantity of coal now in stock.
9. Source from which coal supplies are normally obtained, i.e., name and address of merchant, or whether imported direct.

The information should be furnished immediately, and certainly not later than 3rd May, 1941. The envelopes should be addressed to the Secretary, Department of Supplies, 13-14 Earlsfort terrace, Dublin, and marked "Industrial Coal."

JOHN LEYDON, Secretary.
Department of Supplies, Dublin.
30/B.2983. W.H.Co.

EMERGENCY POWERS (COCOA) ORDER, 1941
(FIRST AMENDMENT) ORDER, 1941.

This Order, made by the Minister for Supplies on 25th April, 1941, permits a shop-keeper to sell to a registered customer two or four weeks' ration of cocoa at one time, provided that in the case of any such sale no further sale of cocoa will be made to that customer in the next succeeding week where two weeks' ration has been obtained, or in the next succeeding three weeks where four weeks' ration has been obtained.

The Order also provides for the omission of the condition that applicants for registration as Wholesale (Cocoa) Merchants should furnish particulars of their retail customers for cocoa in the year 1940.

Copies of the Order will be on Sale shortly.

JOHN LEYDON, Secretary.
Department of Supplies, Dublin.
30/B.2983. W.H.Co.

COIMISINEIRI NA nOIBREACHA POIBLIDHE
(Commissioners of Public Works).
NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS

Sealed tenders addressed to the Secretary will be received up to, but not later than, 12 o'clock noon on the 20th May, 1941, for the provision of Metal Cabinets, Storage Bins, etc., at Hangar No. 1 at the Dublin Airport, in accordance with drawings, specification and conditions of contract exhibited at this Office and at the Office of the Clerk of Works at the Airport.

Applications for a copy of the drawings and specification should be addressed to this Office, with a deposit of £1, which will be refunded on the return of those documents.

The Commissioners will not be bound to accept the lowest or any tender.

GEO. P. FAGAN, Runaidhe (Secretary).
Oifig na nOibreacha Poiblidhe
(Office of Public Works),
Baile Atha Cliath (Dublin),
28adh Aibrean, 1941.
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DEPARTMENT OF SUPPLIES.
CHANGE OF ADDRESS.

Notice is hereby given that the address of the sections of the Department dealing with the rationing of PETROL, FUEL OIL, KEROSENE, TEA AND COCOA has been changed to Ballsbridge, Dublin.

JOHN LEYDON,
Secretary.
28th April, 1941.
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The Irish Times

TUESDAY, APRIL 29, 1941.

"Jitters"

Mr. Sean Lemass is a man of more than average ability. At one time, indeed, he seemed to be a Minister with a great career ahead of him, and during his tenure of office as Minister for Industry and Commerce he won high opinions even among those who differed from him most profoundly in politics. Then he became Minister for Supplies. Admittedly, he undertook a thankless job, which promised meagre hopes of real success; but his best friends must agree that he has failed, and failed dismally, not so much to maintain essential supplies, which would have been difficult to maintain in any case, as to make provision for an emergency which ought to have been obvious to a responsible Minister, or to institute a proper system of rationing when it became clear that a shortage was inevitable. In a speech before the Catholic Commercial Club in Dublin last evening, Mr. Lemass sought to justify his policy, or lack of it, accusing his critics, who included certain "politicians and newspaper editors," of some obscure complaint which he described as "the jitters." Doubtless, the Minister knows the meaning of this esoteric disease; we must confess our ignorance both of its meaning and of its symptoms. In the course of his *apologia* the Minister did us the honour to refer to a leading article that appeared in the *Irish Times* some weeks ago—to be precise, on the day after Mr. Lemass had announced the reduction of the tea ration to half an ounce a week. According to the Minister, we declared on that occasion that the people of Eire must choose between a shortage of supplies and the maintenance of neutrality, and, having averred that we had not made "a fair statement of the choice," if the people had a choice, Mr. Lemass proceeded to draw a red herring—or perhaps we should say a green, white and yellow herring—across the trail of his department's ineptitude by a patriotic outburst about the bartering of Ireland's sovereign rights for tea and flour. Mr. Lemass denies now that there is any connection between the shortage of supplies and the political relations between this country and Great Britain. This newspaper never made any such assertion; but what did Mr. Lemass say when he was trying to explain the muddle in respect of tea? Speaking in Dail Eireann on April 4th, the Minister announced that, in consequence of a telephonic communication which he had had from London on the previous night, the tea ration in Eire must be reduced from one ounce to half an ounce *per* week. The British Tea Control had informed him that this "cut" had been made unavoidable by Great Britain's shipping losses on the high seas; but Mr. Lemass declared that he could not accept this explanation. He added that he did not propose "to speculate as to the possible real explanation in the rapid reduction in our tea supplies," but it was manifest that the British authorities' excuse was "inadequate."

When Mr. Lemass made that statement to the national Parliament was he speaking as a responsible Minister of State; or was he suffering from an attack of the "jitters"? He asserts now that the suggestion that the British have been withholding supplies from Eire on grounds other than those of dire necessity comes from no more "reliable authority" than the *Irish Times*. Far be it from us to quarrel with such a delicate compliment to this newspaper; but will the Minister explain precisely what he meant by his remarks in the Dail? Why was the British Tea Control's explanation "inadequate"? What was the "possible real explanation" at which he hinted with such delicate skill? If anybody is to blame for the prevalent belief that the British have been exerting pressure on the Irish Government, Mr. Lemass, and not the *Irish Times* is the culprit. Our attitude has been plain from the outset. Eire is a neutral country. Mr. de Valera has declared, and his Ministers—including Mr. Lemass—have repeated, that Irish neutrality is a principle that cannot be compromised in any way; and in this policy he has had the support of the great majority of the people. We always have contended that, in all the peculiar circumstances of Eire's position, neutrality was the only feasible policy that could have been adopted by the Government on the outbreak of war; but we also have contended that our people cannot expect to have things both ways. If this country were a belligerent, if it were a Dominion of the Commonwealth in the full sense of the term, its Government would have a right to claim equal treatment in respect of sea-borne supplies with the people of Great Britain or Northern Ireland. Since Eire is neutral, and since Mr. de Valera has proclaimed that "the people of this country . . . . were not attached to one Empire or another," we all must be prepared to draw the logical conclusions from our Government's policy, and to expect no kind of preferential treatment at British hands. Mr. Lemass has tried to saddle the British authorities with all the blame for the tea shortage, although the British themselves have been rationed since last July. He and his officials have made an unholy mess of supplies in respect not only of tea, but of wheat, of petrol, of fuel and of a dozen other commodities. He informed his hearers yesterday that "great and sustained efforts" were being made to bring in supplies from foreign countries. Is it not a pity that these "great and sustained efforts" were not made a couple of years ago; or even in the early stages of the war when shipping was available in adequate quantities? Private motorists are promised now that they may be granted a "small ration" next month. Was there ever any real reason to drive them off the roads? Is it not the cold truth of the whole matter that the Ministry for Supplies has been woefully inefficient? If not only certain politicians and newspaper editors, but hundreds of thousands of Irish citizens, are suffering from the "jitters," by whom does Mr. Lemass think that they have been infected?

The Kiss of Peace

According to Mr. Shinichi Hasegawa, private secretary to the Japanese Foreign Minister, a touching spectacle was witnessed in Moscow a fortnight ago. Its scene was a railway station; its occasion was Mr. Matsuoka's departure for Tokyo after the signing of the Russo-Japanese pact of neutrality; the actors were Mr. Matsuoka himself and no less a person than M. Stalin. M. Stalin is of a retiring disposition, and only on the most solemn occasions—such as a military review in the Red Square—permits himself to leave the Kremlin, so that, when he conferred the signal honour of a personal send-off upon his oriental visitor, he must have been animated by deeper feelings of friendship than the ordinary. It is reported that the two statesmen, "apparently overcome with emotion, embraced one another after the Russian style, to the amazement of the foreign diplomatic representatives present." M. Stalin observed that, "if Japan and the Soviet Union stand together, there will be nothing to fear in Europe." "Nor in the Orient," responded the parting guest. "Nor," concluded his host, "in the world." As the train moved off, M. Stalin was heard to add: "You are Asiatic; so am I." We do not know how far this is a faithful transcript of what actually occurred, but it is hardly probable that Mr. Matsuoka would have permitted the account to circulate around the world, *via* an important chain of Japanese newspapers, unless it possessed, at least, a sound basis of fact. The pact of neutrality between Japan and Russia, those hereditary enemies, was startling; but it was not more startling than the pact between Germany and Russia which formed, as it were, the overture to the present Great War. Germany was the chief partner in the Anti-Komintern Pact, which was directed specifically against the Soviet Union, and hostility to Communism had been the key-note of National-Socialist philosophy for fifteen years previously. Yet, though M. Stalin did not hesitate to swallow his principles and accept the hand of amity from so consistent a foe as Herr Hitler, there was no reason to suppose that he would offer any stronger reluctance to the friendship of Mr. Matsuoka's country. War makes strange bed-fellows. It creates a situation in which long-established principles go by the board, long-standing friendships and hatreds are forgotten, and, often, no motive but self-interest and self-preservation is allowed to prevail. Who could have dared to prophesy, even a few months ago, that the representatives of Russia and Japan would be embracing each other with touching emotion in a railway station?

The practical results of the pact—and of the kiss of peace exchanged by the two diplomats—remains to be seen. What do Japan and the U.S.S.R. expect to gain from their reconciliation after a century of mute or expressed hostility? The most reasonable view is that Russia hopes to safeguard her security on the east, in order that she may concentrate upon her western borders. This newspaper has argued for several years that Russia is not nearly so strong a Power as she generally is assumed to be: if nothing else, the frequent "purges" of high and low officers must have done much to weaken the Red Army, whose performances in Spain and Finland certainly did little to enhance its reputation. M. Stalin cannot but look askance at the rapid approach of the German legions towards the Black Sea and the Dardanelles—a quarter of the earth on which he, his predecessor Lenin, and his Tsarist forebears always have had personal designs. Perhaps, he wants to snatch at a share of the spoil for himself; perhaps, he is concerned simply with the safety of his own borders; but, in either event, he does not wish to be troubled with the upkeep of expensive forces in the Far East while so many important things are happening in the south-west. Japan's gains from the pact are more obvious. So long as it is observed, she is free from the constant menace of a dangerous enemy. Her professed ambition is to create a "new order" in the Pacific, in which she will be recognised as the leader of all the nations on the Eastern Asiatic seaboard. She has not yet made up her mind where to strike—at the Netherlands East Indies, or at Thailand and French Indo-China, as a jumping-off ground for Singapore or Burma; and she has not yet made up her mind when to strike. In any of these ventures she must endure a collision with the British Empire, which, however widely its forces may be scattered over the seas, is by no means powerless in Far Eastern waters; and she almost inevitably must challenge the strength of the United States. In addition, she must be prepared to maintain the arduous and expensive struggle against the Chinese Nationalists under Marshal Chiang Kai-shek, whose prospects have improved, rather than deteriorated, in recent months. These are three potent enemies, and it is not hard to understand why Japan has been eager to rid herself of a fourth, even if a less formidable, foe: the more she can do by diplomacy, the less she will have to do by force. Already Mr. Matsuoka is being urged by some of his colleagues to cross the Pacific for a talk with President Roosevelt—in the hope, no doubt, that another pact of neutrality may materialise. In the present temper of the American people, we venture to doubt whether the railway station at Washington will be the scene of fervent embraces—after the Japanese or any other style.

The Red Cross

Now that the tumult and the shouting have died, the Irish Red Cross has had time to sit back and take stock of how its machinery really functioned when hurled suddenly into operation two weeks ago by the bombing of Belfast. Up to last Wednesday week the Society could make preparations for no more than theoretical emergencies. It yet had to be tested with the real thing; but in the middle of the night of Wednesday week last came news that hundreds—even thousands, rumour made the figure—of refugees were on their way to Dublin from the hell that had been let loose in Belfast. A telephone message summoned the Red Cross in Dundalk; another call from there roused the Red Cross in Dublin, and by the time when the first trains arrived at Amiens street hundreds of workers, doctors, nurses, ambulances, and men and women carrying warm clothes, food and drink, were on the platform to receive the homeless people. The Dublin Transport Company provided free transport to the various reception centres, and religious bodies of all denominations opened their premises to provide shelter. The moment of trial came upon our Red Cross workers without warning, but they rose to the occasion in a manner that demands the whole-hearted congratulation of everybody. Hundreds of homeless, hungry, frightened people—some of them still in their bed-clothes—arrived out of the night; but in a twinkling, as if by magic, clothes, food, beds and medical attention were procured to meet their needs. The magic, however, was sound organisation. Mr. Justice Conor Maguire, chairman of the Central Council, last night expressed the thanks of the Society to all who assisted in the task of caring for the Belfast refugees, and we add our congratulations on an exacting job which was efficiently and kindly done. Please God, such an undertaking never will have to be their lot again; but it may recur any day, and every passing week may be bringing the people of this State nearer to some similar, dreadful experience. Let us all as wise citizens take precautions against the evil day. Mr. de Valera appealed last Friday for volunteers for every branch of the A.R.P. services; Mr. Justice Maguire last night appealed for a wider organisation of Red Cross work, particularly in the provinces; and the Red Cross, as has been proved again by its work in Dublin within the last two weeks, is among the essential services in the modern State. Its duties, its obligations, however, transcend even the iron boundaries between States, and the assistance which it is giving to the Belfast refugees is a severe strain on the resources of the Irish branch. This newspaper's appeal for funds already has raised over £10,000, but money still is urgently needed. Come what may, the work has to go on, and we would remind readers that our Northern Refugees' Fund must close this evening.

COURT AND PERSONAL

Crown Prince Olaf of Norway has arrived back in England, after his visit to Canada and the United States.

The Earl of Drogheda and Mr. R. A. Butler were among those present at the luncheon given by the Spanish Ambassador in London last week.

Lieutenant David B. Erskine, son of the Rev. Gordon Erskine, B.D., minister of Rosemary Street Presbyterian Church, Belfast, has been posted missing. Lieutenant Erskine, who was 23 years of age, was educated at Campbell College, and afterwards went to Sandhurst.

On Sunday Mrs. F. Boylan gave a most enjoyable sherry party at "Millicent House," Sallins, Co. Kildare, for her elder daughter, Miss Diana Page, to announce her engagement to Captain R. M. Pratt. Close on a hundred guests were present.

The Earl and Countess of Onslow are going to reside permanently in London.

Miss Barbara Kerr Seymour has gone to reside at Aldworth.

Mr. Robert Donat, the distinguished actor, who is at present on a visit to Dublin, was the guest at luncheon yesterday of Sir John and Lady Maffey at Farmhill, Dundrum.

The infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Lawrence was christened Deirdrê Alexandra at Horsell Church on April 26. The godparents were: Lieutenant-Colonel the Right Hon. J. T. C. Moore-Brabazon, M.P.; Captain Nigel Fisher, the Countess of Winchilsea and Nottingham, Viscountess Carlow and Mrs. Philip Legge.

Dr. A. V. Foster has returned to 31 Earl street, Mullingar.

Miss Horniman, from the "Cyclax" Salon, London, is now in attendance at Switzers (Perfumery Dept.). Ladies are invited to consult her about the correct use of these famous Beauty Preparations—the full range of which can be had at Switzers.

Arnotts are opening a new Beauty Shop shortly, and Miss S. Dunne, A.P.S.I., and Miss R. Keary, Academie De Beaute (Paris), have already joined the staff. Consultations, free of charge, can be booked right away—'phone 71771. Special introductory facial treatment (including make-up) for 5/-.

Distinctive Models, for present wear, are now being displayed in Our Salons. W. Leon, Ltd., 24 Grafton street.

Fur Coats and Foxes of various kinds made on the Premises from finest selected skins, shown in Our Fur Salons this week. W. Leon, Ltd., 24 Grafton street.

There are many Cafés and Restaurants, but Mitchell's of Grafton street is justly claimed by connoisseurs as Ireland's Leading Café Restaurant.

Make a special point of seeing the new Peggy Sage nail polish shades at your stockists. They are enchanting and so modern.

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ON THE WIRELESS

IRISH PROGRAMME

6.30—Light Music. 6.40—Stock Exchange, Sports Results, Official Announcements. 6.45—News. 7.0—"Introducing Mr. Nolan." 7.15—Great Symphonists: Sibelius. 7.50—"Clean Wool," Talk by J. B. Ganly. 8.5—"An Ghiustis Siothchana": Drama nua-cheaptha le Seamus de Bhilmot. 8.30—Frank Gallagher (baritone). 8.45—New Books about Music, Review by H. R. White. 9.0—William Rathborne and Rita Christopher, Flute and Violin Duets. 9.20—Ireland is Singing. 10.0—News. 10.30—Scottish Half-Hour.

B.B.C. PROGRAMME

7.0—Time, News. 7.15—Records. 7.30—Exercises. 7.50—"Two Tunes." 7.55—Lift Up Your Hearts! 8.0—Time, News. 8.15—The Kitchen Front. 8.20—Records. 9.0—Band. 9.30—Salon Orchestra. 10.5—Schools. 10.15—Time; Daily Service. 10.30—Theatre Organ. 10.45—The Kitchen in Wartime. 11.0—Schools. 12.0—B.B.C. Orchestra. 12.30—Concert. 1.0—Time, News. 1.15—The Manchester Tuesday Mid-day Society's Concert. 1.50—Schools. 3.0—Victor Silvester and his Ballroom Orchestra. 3.30—Evensong. 4.0—"Fresh Airs." 4.40—Schubert Songs. 5.0—News and Welsh Children's Hour. 5.30—Children's Hour. 6.0—Time, News. 6.30—News in Norwegian. 6.45—"Signpost." 6.55—"The Family Curse." 7.30—Gaelic Songs of the Isle of Skye. 8.0—"Foreign Legion." 8.30—"Take Umbridge." 9.0—Time, News. 9.20—From the Front Bench. 9.35—French Music. 10.15—Evening Prayers. 10.30—Military Band. 11.0—Viola and Piano. 11.30—Harry Roy and his Band. 12.0—Time News.

FORCES PROGRAMME

6.30—Records. 7.0—Time, News. 7.15—Records. 8.0—Time, News. 10.15—A Light Programme in Welsh. 10.30—Harry Fryer and his Orchestra. 11.0—Time; Anniversaries. 11.15—Theatre Organ. 11.30—Don Felipe and the Cuban Caballeros. 12.0—Harry Roy and his Band. 12.30—Concert. 1.0—Time, News. 1.15—"Monday Night at Eight." 2.15—Records. 2.40—Theatre Organ. 3.0—Victor Silvester and his Ballroom Orchestra. 3.30—Radio Reconnaissance. 4.0—B.B.C. Time; Scottish Orchestra. 4.40—News from Home. 5.0—Billy Merrin at the Piano. 5.45—John Hilton. 6.0—Time, News. 6.30—Flute and Piccolo. 6.30—"For the Average Player." 7.5—Australian News. 7.15—Records. 7.45—"Partnerships." 8.0—Variety. 8.30—B.B.C. 9.0—Time, News. 9.20—Oscar Rabin and his Band. 10.0—"Song Memories." 10.30—B.B.C. 11.0—Time; Close down.

LONDON LETTER

THE RATIONING OF FOOD

59 FLEET STREET, LONDON,
MONDAY NIGHT.

WHEN the House of Commons next deals with the rationing of food, it is probable that there will be further demands that supplies in restaurants shall be restricted, and it will be asked that there shall be no coupon free meals in hotels and restaurants, and that there shall be an extension of rationing to a number of foods now not covered. In addition there will be demands that certain foodstuffs shall be set apart for those who most need them, and that these workers shall be given priority for such things as meat and cheese. Another suggestion is that there shall be greater equality between the rations of the armed forces and the civilian element of the population. It is difficult to see how some of these suggestions can be justified, since most people compelled to make use of restaurants find that food is severely rationed already, and that the greatest care is taken to see that there is no abuse.

Bomb-flash Blindness

A remarkable feature of the air raids on Britain has been the comparatively small number of civilians who have been blinded by the bombs. The figures to date are approximately forty adults and two children. These blinded civilians are shortly to go to a fully equipped home of recovery, the British War Relief Committee having given the purchase price of a furnished hotel in the west country, where there will be a skilled medical and nursing staff who will work for the restoration to sight, if possible, of the victims. The first patients will be installed in their new home in a about a fortnight's time.

Control of Rubber

Until the week-end rubber and tin were the only two major commodities uncontrolled, but to-day there is only tin, as Sir Walrond Sinclair has been appointed Rubber Controller. It is probable that the appointment has been made owing to the possibility that at any moment the British position in regard to supplies may become uncertain owing to developments in the Far East and, in addition, it is possible that the need for conservation is also recognised. In Mincing Lane, the headquarters of the Market, the Government decision is regretted, but it is agreed that if there must be a Controller there is nobody better than Sir Walrond Sinclair. Long associated with the industry, he is a business man of great ability and one likely to appreciate the importance of the rubber market to this country with a feeling for the traders in the industry.

Scarcity of Wines

Foreign wines are becoming scarce in Britain and this applies particularly to the French variety. Champagne and white wines are most affected, and when present stocks are exhausted there will be no more until peace returns. A speculator here bought twelve thousand pounds worth of champagne and French liqueurs last summer, and after storing them for ten months he has resold the stock with a profit of four thousand pounds. It is expected that champagne will soon be selling at two pounds per bottle.

Civil Servants' Holidays

The Government is being asked to reconsider the proposal that the holidays of British civil servants this year should be limited to one week at a time, on the ground that, while this may be sufficient for the staffs remaining in London, it will operate to the disadvantage of those evacuated to provincial centres. Since the beginning of the war some forty thousand clerks have gone with the sections of their departments to places in the West and North of England, and owing to the stress of the work they have been called upon to perform they have not been able to visit their homes for a long time, some having been away continuously since their removal from London. It is possible that the rule limiting the holiday to one week will stand as a general principle, but that in certain cases which will be considered separately longer vacations may be granted. There is no desire to hinder the smooth working of the Government departments, and in many cases civil servants will continue to work without holidays, as they have been doing since the pressure on their sections increased by war developments.

More Land for the Plough

Among the plans to bring about an increase in food production in Britain the Ministry of Agriculture is aiming at having another 1,750,000 acres of land under the plough this year, following the 2,000,000 additional acres which were brought under cultivation last year. The scheme for expert tractor drivers to be transferred voluntarily from districts where their work is finished to other areas where there are vast stretches of land waiting to be dealt with, has made a satisfactory start, as already numerous applications have been received from volunteers who are willing to work in any part of the country where their services are required. In East Anglia, where most of the ploughing has been done, the men have made a large response, and the Minister of Agriculture is arranging for their transfer to districts where new land has been scheduled for cultivation.

IRISHMAN'S DIARY

Rubber-necking Skywards

On a number of occasions recently unidentified aircraft have passed over Dublin during daylight hours, and many necks have been strained among the burgesses in efforts to locate the fliers.

No doubt, in these days this astral gazing is a very natural reaction to the sound of aero engines overhead, but if the inquisitive citizens who practise it were to think a little more they might realise its dangers.

Unauthorised 'planes passing over any part of this country are liable to be fired on by our ground defences—that is the Army's way of telling them that "trespassers will be prosecuted."

Now, when an anti-aircraft gun fires, a large, ugly, dangerous mass of metal is hurled skywards, but the law of gravity inexorably insists that what goes up must come down—even the exploded fragments of an anti-aircraft shell, and, therefore, those people who take such an indiscreet interest in 'planes are quite likely to receive a conk on the nose from an unpleasantly jagged lump of steel, falling with tremendous momentum from a great height. It is not so noisy as a bomb, perhaps, but every bit as nasty!

Civilians would, in future, be well advised to leave unknown aircraft to the efficient section of the defence forces which deals with them. There is no need for a panicky rush to shelter, but "rubber-necking" may lead to unnecessary danger, and the wisest course undoubtedly is to take the nearest available cover until all danger of shell fragments has passed.

Dwarf Dwellings

I received a visit recently from a Corporation town planning official, whose mission it was to inquire into the lay-out of houses and the number of their rooms, etc. Having surveyed my own castle, he went on to recount his experiences elsewhere.

From what he told me, it seems that Dublin is fast becoming a city of dwarf dwellings. In discussing what were once noble streets of a former Dublin, he said that to-day their fine houses have been honeycombed into an amazing number of "chicken coop" flatlets. In one house, in particular, he found that each of four large rooms had been successfully "quartered," and now contained a family. And at an average rental of £8 per month each . . . . !

I laughed when he went on to tell of a Lilliputian dwelling which he had only recently visited. So small was it, indeed, that all its furniture had had to be constructed on a miniature scale! Other houses visited revealed gas stoves on the landing, to say nothing of baths under the stairs.

And then—in a basement dwelling of a district well known to me—he spoke of the twelve children whom he had found cooped up therein. The subterranean gloom of this living space was so real that he had literally to feel his way around, and the effects of such bad lighting was, he said, very evident in the tired eyes of the children.

"On Tea and Friendship"

Lest any angle of the tea problem remains undiscussed, I consulted Lin Yutang on the burning—or rather boiling—question. Alas, his observations are sadly inapplicable to our present circumstances.

In that delightful work, "The Importance of Living," he muses: ". . . it would be disastrous to drink tea with babies crying round, or with loud-voiced women, or with politics-talking men. Tea is symbolic of earthly purity . . it leads us into a quiet contemplation of life."

On the making of tea, we are told: "The pot is filled one-third with leaves and the tea immediately poured into cups and drunk."

Under "Moments when one should stop drinking tea," Lin Yutang tabulates:—

At work,
Opening letters,
During rain and snow,
Going through documents,
On busy days.

By the foregoing it would seem that the Minister for Supply need concern himself with the tea-rationing of women only!

A New Instrument

The novachord and the electric guitar are two of the latest musical instruments which have made their *début*, *via* radio, in recent years.

The first named has not been seen in Dublin. It looks like a small minapiano with various tone controls above the keyboard.

I have heard the electric guitar played by Gary Moore, a Waterford man, who has made quite an international reputation on the radio, and was one of the first to introduce the instrument to this side of the Atlantic.

On one occasion after broadcasting a programme on the electric guitar, Gary Moore received a letter of appreciation from Honolulu, where the composer of a song he had played was listening. The name of the song was "Malihini Mele," the Hawaiian term for stranger.

Waste Paper

A matter of weeks ago I got all hot and bothered about this business of waste paper. I forget who it was that was appealing for it all over the Press, but the appeal was almost heart-rending in its insistency.

Anyhow, I gave orders that all the old magazines in my house were to be gathered together, tied with a string, and placed in a neat stack in the hall, to await the collector who, we were assured, would infallibly arrive.

This, I repeat, was a matter of weeks ago, and the stack of magazines still stands there as large as ever—larger, in fact, because a few strays have been unearthed and added to it. It is not an enormous pile, but, after all, we were told that every little helps, and so on.

QUIDNUNC.

R. AND R. MUSICAL SOCIETY

"THE GONDOLIERS" AT GAIETY THEATRE

The Rathmines and Rathgar Musical Society opened their spring season at the Gaiety Theatre, Dublin, with a fine performance of "The Gondoliers." Entering on the twenty-eighth year of its existence, the Society shows no weakness either in the strength of membership or in the place which it has long since won in the affections of music-lovers. There was an atmosphere of life and vivacity in their work last night which made the production irresistible in its appeal. The chorus, which means so much to these Gilbert and Sullivan pieces, was excellent both in its singing and the capable way it supplied those little touches of acting which are so essential. The dancing scenes were particularly well executed.

The Society is rich in having such a grand array of principals. Taking them as they came there was A. E. Glynn, making a most taking Duke of Plaza-Toro. His lines were always well pointed with full appreciation of the humour, and his songs sung with quaint humour. Mabel Home filled the rôle of the Duchess as to the manner born. She has a wonderful sense of comedy, as she showed in her singing of "On the day that I was wedded to your admirable sire." As the Gondoliers one could not surpass the work of Robert McCullagh (Marco) and W. J. Foley (Guiseppe). They had excellent opposites in Eileen Clancy (Gianetta) and Kathleen Maher (Tessa). The well-known quartets, "A Regular Royal Queen" and "In a Contemplative Fashion," were also excellently done. R. J. Tierney has made the part of the Grand Inquisitor distinctively his own. His lines are spoken with admirable clarity and with full appreciation of their humour, and his singing has a most appealing quality.

It was interesting to hear Maureen Harold, daughter of Miss Agnes Treacy, the well-known soprano of another generation, singing so attractively in the part of Casilda. She made quite a success of the part. Opposite her was Jack O'Connor, a new-comer who showed great promise as Luiz, the "drummer suite" of the Duke. The smaller parts were capably filled.

Mr. Thomas H. Weaving, F.R.I.A.M., Musical Director of the Society, was in his accustomed place as conductor, which meant that the piece moved at the right pace.

A word of congratulation to Mr. Joseph Flood, who last night played a new rôle as producer.

To-night: "Patience."

THE SUN.

	To-day.	To-morrow.
Rises	5.56	5.54.
Sets	8.50	8.52
Lighting-up Time	9.20	9.22

HIGH WATER AT DUBLIN.

Morning	1.52	2.27
Evening	2. 9	2.46

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Looking at Mrs. Victor Parr, one is struck by the beauty of her skin, smooth and glowing, and nature has been kind to her in beautiful expressive eyes of brown — her hair is dark brown. A keen angler, Mrs. Parr spends much of her time in the open and she doesn't care whether it's sunshine or rain so long as the sport is good.

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6. Put on a second application of Pond's Cold Cream. First, pat the forehead gently.
7. Then pat gently from the corners of the mouth out towards the ears.
8. Pat the neck briskly, first on the right side, then on the left.
9. Wipe the cream away with Pond's tissues — pat the skin with a pad wet with Pond's Skin Freshener — dry the skin with a tissue.

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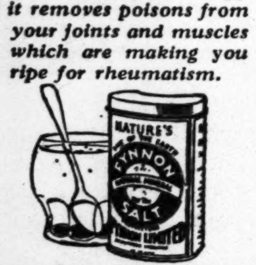
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Mr. Edmund Condon, solicitor, Ballyshannon, and Miss Eileen Courtney, Clontarf, at the reception after their wedding, at the Pro-Cathedral, Dublin, yesterday.

THE PROPERTY LOAN AND INVESTMENT CO., LTD., 40 DAME ST., DUBLIN

In moving the adoption of the accounts and report for the year ended 31st March, 1941, at the eighth annual general meeting, held yesterday, Lord Glenavy, the chairman, said:—

"Notwithstanding the uncertainty of the times, the company's business has been well maintained in the past year. The mortgage loans in the balance sheet now stand at the figure of £466,690. Taxation has required a larger provision, but the net profit, after providing for tax, shows a drop of only £268. With an increased sum available for allocation the dividend is maintained, while at the same time a somewhat larger appropriation is being made to reserves.

"No one now can foresee the future, but the company is maintaining unchanged the policy on which its business has been built, and, so long as there are borrowers seeking accommodation on the company's well-known terms, we are ready to facilitate them. Our procedure for considering applications, and for deciding on them, is exceptionally prompt. There are no restrictions on the funds which can provide for house purchase, and no need to wait for an advance to be made once the application for it has been approved and the legal formalities have been completed. We hope, therefore, to be given continued opportunity to render important services to the public in the field where the establishment of the company did so much to reduce both the charges made for such services and the period of waiting for them to become available."

The report and accounts were adopted.

MR. LEMASS'S SPEECH

(Continued from Page 1, Col. 5.)

DANGEROUS FALLACY

Mr. Lemass said that it was sometimes suggested that unemployment was capable of being disposed of quite easily by some trick of finance. He was no uncritical admirer of their present financial system, although he would hesitate to change it until he was satisfied that he had something better to substitute for it. It was a dangerous fallacy that all their present difficulties could be avoided by some manipulation of their currency or by some wider utilisation of bank credits. None of their present supply difficulties were due to lack of finance.

They might have some difficulties of financing some purchases outside the sterling area, and that trouble might increase, but there was nothing which they could do for themselves which would alter that position. The false idea that financial difficulties were impeding effective action might not merely cause mischief, but would, if it prevailed, prevent the concentration of effort on the realities of their situation.

CRITICAL TIME

FACING IMMENSE DIFFICULTIES

"Our nation is facing a time of immense difficulty," said Mr. Lemass. "There is no system of Government regulation of affairs which will make those difficulties disappear, although it may be possible to minimise them. We shall need all the ability we can command, and all the loyalty and co-operation which our people can give, and also a little luck."

If the Government was to handle properly the difficulties of food distribution, price regulation and unemployment, the ordinary man in the street would have to lend a hand.

Dealing with complaints about the infringement of price control regulations, Mr. Lemass said that if democracy was to survive in this country it would be because the ordinary citizen was prepared to stand behind the law and would not be afraid or ashamed to denounce the law-breaker; it would be because of the development of a fuller realisation of the part which the ordinary citizen must play in making democracy work. Whatever the future might hold, if they could escape the ordeal of actual physical conflict on their territory, they would have escaped from the period of European travail infinitely better off than many other small nations which had seen their territory overrun by invading armies, their cities devastated and their national liberties destroyed. However much they might feel inclined to grouse and complain about the difficulties and inconveniences the war had brought, they must feel grateful that so far they had escaped the horrors here.

CHURCH SERVICES

ST. PATRICK'S CATHEDRAL. — 10 o'clock, Matins. Psalm 140. Chants 98, 97. Urbs Fortitudinis 43. Hymn 730. 4 o'clock, Evensong. Psalm 143. Chant 96. Magnificat and Nunc Dimittis, Kelway in B minor. Anthem, "He that shall endure" (Mendelssohn).

CHRIST CHURCH CATHEDRAL. — 10.45 o'clock, Matins Venite 440. Psalm 139 (441). Urbs Fortitudinis 391. Hymn 361. 3 o'clock, Evensong. Psalm 142 (406). Magnificat and Nunc Dimittis, James Nares (1715-1783) in F. Anthem, "If thou shalt confess"—C. V. Stanford (1852-1924).

During his visit to America, General Sikorski, the Polish Premier and C.-in.-C., has addressed big meetings of Poles in New York, Chicago, Detroit and Buffalo on the Allied war effort.

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RED CROSS FIRST-AID

HANDLING OF THE REFUGEES

CHAIRMAN'S THANKS AND PRAISE

MR. JUSTICE CONOR MAGUIRE, Chairman of the Central Council of the Irish Red Cross Society, last night appealed for greater organisation in the provinces and the country towns, and for more volunteers to man the First-Aid posts and ambulance units which are being established throughout the country. He was speaking at a meeting of the Blackrock and Booterstown branch of the Society in Blackrock Town Hall, where he had just presented 74 First-Aid certificates.

On behalf of the President of the Society, Mr. Justice Maguire expressed gratification at the prompt and efficient manner in which members of the Red Cross had met the emergency arising from the recent sudden inrush of refugees from the six Northern counties. The heaviest burden of work, he said, fell on the Louth and Dublin branches, but in Monaghan, Cavan, Sligo and elsewhere Red Cross members responded admirably to the call on their services. Wherever refugees arrived in the Twenty-Six Counties they were met by members of the Red Cross. Their needs were attended to; they were housed, fed and clothed. Many are still being cared for. Judge Maguire said that of the 600 odd who arrived in Dublin immediately after the bombing of Belfast, some 340 are still here.

NO CONFUSION

Special congratulations were due to Mr. Rory Henderson, in Dublin, and Mr. J. B. Hamill, in Dundalk, for the manner in which they took immediate charge of the situation, and had arrangements made. There had been no confusion—though in one instance, where it was rumoured that 2,000 refugees were on their way, members became, naturally, a little panicky about accommodation. However, there was no difficulty in catering for all who came. The apparent ease with which a difficult problem was handled, particularly in Dublin, was due to the months of patient preparation by the Dublin director and his staff.

But for the ready co-operation of other bodies, and of the public generally, said Mr. Justice Maguire, the task could not have been so efficiently done. He expressed thanks to the Minister for Defence and the Army, who lent both food and services for cooking; the L.S.F., the Civic Guards, the staff of the Great Northern Railway, the St. John Ambulance Brigade, and the Dublin United Transport Company, who provided free transport between the railway station and the various centres where refugees were located.

GENEROUS HELP

Clothing, food and money in generous measure flowed in both through our branches, said Mr. Justice Maguire, and through the Refugee Fund opened by the *Irish Times*. Members of the public came forward with gifts of all kinds.

Mention, he said, must also be made of the action of the Representative Church Body, who, by placing the Baggotrath Hall at our disposal, enabled the Dublin Director and his staff to accommdate over one hundred persons; the Y.M.C.A., in whose premises many refugees were housed; the French Sisters of Charity, whose services were invaluable in the care of young children; the Magdalen Asylum Laundry, which is giving a daily service, and the Temple Street Hospital, which sent trained nurses from its staff.

The very difficult problem of sanitation and public health had, so far, been successfully overcome by the Society's medical members, with the assistance of the staff of Dr. Russell's department. The Dublin hospitals made room for any cases requiring hospital attention.

"To all these," said Mr. Justice Maguire, "must go credit for what has been done to meet the biggest problem of its kind which has yet arisen from the war conditions around us."

Mr. Justice Maguire remarked that there had been rumours that the refugees were giving great trouble to the members of the Red Cross who were looking after them. Such rumours, it should be stated, were completely false. At least 95 per cent. of the refugees showed nothing but gratitude for the treatment which they received.

The Rev. R. J. Connell, P.P., presided.

WATER-COLOUR SOCIETY

EXHIBITION OPENED BY MR. J. B. YEATS

"Civilisation to-day walks the plank prodded on by swords held in hands, some white and some dark with blood," said Mr. Jack B. Yeats yesterday, when opening the Water-Colour Society's exhibition in the presence of the President of the Royal Hibernian Academy and a large gathering at the Mills Hall, Dublin.

Mr. Yeats went on to say that, unlike the swords of the pirates of old, each of these swords had a slogan engraved on it. He had not read them, but painters had a slogan on their brushes which, to his mind, was the greatest of all slogans. Better than the Golden Rule—it was "Live and Let Live."

When they looked round that fine exhibition they knew that the painters had all, sometimes with trouble and sometimes boldly and with ease, realised there was an ideal towards which they must strive. To-day, when across the world from China to their own shores, men, women and little children were standing up to an ideal in first-class bravery, while behind them always were creeping the people who said: "Let's have no ideals; let's be second-class; let's be commonplace" it was because he believed that the painters here stood for a first-class ideal that he was proud to be allowed to declare their exhibition open.

NORTHERN REFUGEES' FUND

NINTH LIST OF SUBSCRIPTIONS

THE following is the list of subscriptions received up to last night for the relief of distress among refugees from the North.

Already acknowledged	£9,073	6	9
Irish Banks' Standing Committee, Dublin	500	0	0
Anon.	25	0	0
Parish of Emlaghfad and Killaraght (Ballymote, Co. Sligo) (see end of Subscription List)	24	18	6
Employés, François Cementation Co., Ltd., Poulaphouca and Rathmore Contracts	22	5	6
Castleknock and Clonsilla Churches	12	0	0
Staff, W. and A. Gilbey, Ltd., 46/47 Upper O'Connell st.	12	0	0

£10 10/-—Clarence Hotels, Co., Ltd., Dublin.

£10—Rev. J. Anderson, Miss Anderson, Staff and Pupils, Royal School, Cavan; M.L.H.

£9—Kilcommon Church, Tinahely (collection).

£8 10/-—Directors and Staff, W. A. and A. F. Woods, Ltd., Sligo.

£7 10/-—Union of Newtownbarry Parish Church (Collection).

£6 10/6—Collection, Wilson's Hospital Chapel, Multyfarnham.

£6 7/-—Parish of Delvin and Rathconnell.

£6—Parish of Kilmoremoy, with Curroy, Diocese Killala (Collection).

£5 18/6—Rathdowney Union of the Church of Ireland—J. Thompson (£1), Canon T. D. Stuart, Miss E. M. Dugdale (10/- each); Miss Good, Mrs. H. Thompson, the Misses Seymour, Mrs. Mansfield, E. Jones (5/- each); Mr. Jermyn, Miss Cole W. Smeaton, Miss E. Wallace (3/- each); Miss Synott, Mr. Connell, Mrs. L. Thompson, Mrs. Bennett, Miss Brown, Miss Carter, Mrs. Allen, Miss P. Allen, Miss M. Allen, W. Mitchell, R. Horsborough, T. Harrison, A. Bond, Mrs. R. Wallace, Rev. F. T. Shannon (2/6 each); A. Jones, J. Jones (2/- each.

£5 15/-—Union of Ardcolm, Kilpatrick and Killurin, Wexford.

£5 5/-—Bowmaker (Saorstat Eireann), Ltd., 115 St. Stephen's Green; Directors and Staff, Kelly and Shiel, Ltd., 48 Fleet street; George Read and Co., Roscrea; New Dublin Jewish Literary and Social Club, 3 Harrington street.

£5—J. P. Keogh, Ltd., 2 George's quay; Traly Footwear, Ltd., Tralee; F. P. Roche, Enniscorthy; G. S. Phillpotts, Oakfield, Foxrock; Staff, Weir and Sons (Dublin), Ltd., 96 Grafton street; R. T. and S. M., Mayo; Spicers (Ireland), Ltd., 37a Fleet street; Captain and Mrs. A. Coddington, Oldbridge, Drogheda; Staff, Crowe, Wilson and Co., Ltd., 23/28 Lower Bridge street, Church of Ireland, Westport (collection); Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Tulloch, Shanbolard, Co. Galway; Mrs. E. Blackett, Halton Red House, Corbridge-on-Tyne; Anon., Knocklong; Lord and Lady Farnham, Farnham, Cavan.

£4 17/3—Parish of St. Michan and St. Paul (second contribution).

£4 14/-—Parish of Ballyboy and Kinnitty (collection).

£4 12/6—Staff, Lamb Bros. (Dublin), Ltd., Inchicore.

CRUISKEEN LAWN

By MYLES NA gCOPALEEN

Blianta ó ṡoin bí aiṫne agam ar ḋuine-uasal darab ainm Díogruaigeaċ Ó Maol Blagaide. Ćomnuig sé le fada ar an tsráidbaile úd i dTiobraid Árann dá ngairmtear Laition (nó "Lattin" i mBéarla na sub-ndaoine Sacs-Ġaeḋlaċ). Aċt d'éirig sé bréan den áit sin (níḋ naċ iongnaḋ) agus d'aṫruig sé a ḃotán agus a ḃuan-ḃaile go dtí Gréigis na Manaċ, láim le Cill Ćoinnig, Barony of Greatostmanbatter Upper, Townland of Knocktallyafookaroo, O.S. XLIII. Tá teaċ ċuimneaċáin ar sean-ḃallógaí an tiġe go dtí an lá indiu—"Here liv'd for XVI. years Deegrooga O'Mulblocketty, Efq., gentleman & claffics master. Ob. 1754."

Slánabaile: Nyee higim. Dooreesh goh rev awhnyeh agut er?

Mise: Bí. Bíomar ar an gcraoiḃ céadna de Ćonnraḋ na Gaeḋilge i Lonndún sa ḃliain 1907. Pós sé mo ḋeirḃfiúir Cáit agus fuair sé post faoi'n C.D.B. Tá a ṁac 'na ṁaor ar ċaṫair Springfield, Massachusetts.

Slánabaile: 1907! Ach dooreesh goh voor shay baws sa vleen 1754. Nyee higim. An dtawnic shay harnash ón ooyig?

Mise: Is iomḋa rud níos iongantaiġe 'ná sin a rinne an fear a pós mo ḋeirḃfiúir Cáit.

Slánabaile: Bader naw fwil er shool agut ach scayl byug granoor?

Mise: Ní greann a fuair mo ḋeirḃfiúir Cáit ar an cleaṁnas a rinne sí.

Slánabaile: Um. Well, gurramahagut mar shin fayn.

LÁ AN ĠAḂTAIR.

Ní'l 'fios agam. Ní feadar. Is deacair díocair a ráḋ cad da ceart dúinn a ól anois nuair tá'n tae gann agus gorta-cócó ag gabáil den tír.

Tá fíon ann, agus biotáille agus beoir. Agus uisce an tsléiḃe, aḃí maiṫ-go-leor d'ár sinnsir go minic sa ló. Bainne, bláṫaċ agus an fíon eile sin a déantar i mainistreaċa le manaiġ agus a ċuireann dáṫ na póire io pluic ag fuinneaṁ an fáċaiġ io ġéig.

"Aċt tá na neiṫe sin ró-ḋaor," adeirtear liom.

Na boċtáin adeir liom é, bíodar sásta 3/6 an punta do ḋíol ar ḋriodar dío-ḟláinṫiúil éigin ar na hIndiaċaiḃ nó ar an tSín.

Ní'l aon amras orm i dtaoḃ na diġe is fearr liom féin, aċt goiḋé sin don tae sin naċ mbaineann sin dó!

IAR-FOCAL.

Is beag naċ ndearnas dearmad ar ḃlúire beag seanċais eile atá agam ar Ḋíogruaigeaċ Ó Maol Blagaide. Inns na láimscríbniḃ 'san Acadaṁ Ríoġḋa tá dánta le fáġáil ar a ḃfuil rian an scil agus an ṡeit ceapadóireaċta a ċleaċtuig sé. Tá dán aṁáin ("A ċríċ ó n-a ttánac" 28 G 5) agus tá scríoḃṫa ar ḃarr an ċéad leaṫanaiġ ag láim coimiġṫig "Be Blokety surely." Tá dán eile ("Truagh leam an toċarra" 3 L 46) agus tá scríoḃṫa faoi: "Iar na ccéicrin damra .i. Dígrúgá Ó Maoilḃligite i mbleiḋeoin ar tt 1783 ocus lig pater leam a lector sóbennaċtaigh." Tá scríoḃṫa faoi sin ag an láim eile anaiṫnid: "taken down here summer 1734 agus is maiṫ an aimsiúir i inid co ḟírinneaċ. A.D. 1784."

Tá saoṫar an ḟile seo go líonṁar sa LS 17 Q 79 aċt tá an scríḃinn lodta do-léiġṫe. Deir an Raṫailleaċ liom go ḃfuil marḃna fada (4 x 115: "Truá san a Ċáit ní D * * * * *") sa ċnuasaċt Egerton insa Múr-ásur Breataine aċt cá ḃfios dúinn naċ ḃfuil an láimscríḃinn sin ċom truaillíġṫe troċluiġṫe leis an gceann eile?

FOCLÓIR.

Marḃna—a dirge, a deadly poem, a lethal ode, a work of literature which induces suicidal mania by reason of its inferior execution and footling sentiment, an illegiac operation.

Cnuasaċt—A collection nuts, the personnel of a suburban Croquet and Tennis Club (Bowls 5/- per season extra), a miscellany, articles usually found in a squirrel's funkhole, an anthology.

Anaiṫnid—Unfamiliar, unknown, incognictable; bean a.—a lady one knows well, but takes good care not to recognise.

Raṫailleaċ—Reilliness, Rahillinity, Res Rahilles, Humanitas sub specie Rahillitatis, a Reilly, or Rahillyman, a member of the tribe or family of Riley, Rohilly, Rigley, Wrugley, Reihilly, Raleigh, Rowley, Rolly; cells and plasms collectively known as foregoing.

Scríḃinn—a manuscript a scriven, a filthy germ-teeming document, archivistic insanitants.

CEISTIÚĊÁN.

Cá'r ḋúḃairt an Raṫailleaċ go ḃfuil an marḃna le fáġáil? Cá ḃfuil an ċnuasaċt Egerton? Cé scríoḃ an dán dár túr-líne "Truag leam an toċarra"? Ḃfuil tú bréan den scuir seo? An gcuireann sé codlaḋ ort?

£4 6/-—St. George's Church, Balbriggan (collection).

£4 2/6—High School, Sligo.

£4—Dublin Branch Staff, Commercial Union Assurance Co., Ltd., 37 College Green.

£3 12/6—Sympathisers, per W. J. S.

£3 10/-—Oak Park Estate Employés, Carlow—T. Yeats, E. Rattray (5/- each); W. G. McDermott (4/-); Mrs. Robertson, T. Robertson, Miss M. E. Higgins, K. McGinnley, Mr. McElhinney, Miss Gibson, J. Lennon, M. Hickey, D. Jones (2/6 each); Miss B. Moran, Mrs. Saxton, P. Confrey, Miss E. Deacon, A. Parker (2/- each); F. Nolan (1/6); Miss McGuinness, Miss M. Horrigan, G. Confrey, Miss J. Cronin, Pat Murphy, John O'Hara, N. Walls, T. Baird, J. Fleming, D. Kelly, W. Doyle, G. Donohue, P. Jordan, J. Griffin, W. Lennon, T. Lennon, M. Hickey, M. Lyons, W. Deakon, E. Toole, Mrs. J. Timmins (1/- each); J. Kinselly, Master G. Rankin (6d. each).

£3 3/-—Mr. and Mrs. J. V. Pasley, Sunnyside, Bushy Park road; John T. Drought, Ltd., 6 Bachelor's Walk; Charles E. Fair, Athlone; Mrs. Pyke-Fortescue, Stephenstown, Dundalk.

£2 12/6—Staff and Pupils, Cabra School, Kingscourt, Co. Cavan.

£2 11/6—Manager and Staff, Royal Exchange Assurance, 5 College Green.

£2 10/-—1st Letterkenny Group, Scouts and Wolf Cubs (Protestant); Methodist Church, Tralee (collection).

£2 5/-—Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Morton, 10 S. Richmond street.

£2 2/-—Mr. and Mrs. Cox, Northern Bank, Balbriggan; "From All at 64"; Richard Alan and Co., Ltd., 58 Grafton street; Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Smith, Northesk, Lansdowne, Limerick; T. P. Robinson, 3/4 Lower O'Connell street; Mr. and Mrs. Fred. W. O'Hara, Coopershill, Riverstown, Co. Sligo; Mr. and Mrs. Edmond Lupton, Woodlands, Kill-o'-the-Grange; David O'Neill, Forkhill, Co. Armagh; Dr. S. A. Segal, 376 St. Helen's road, Bolton, Lancs; Anon. (Howth Parish Church); Dr. P. T. Byrne, Elmville, Clonmel; David Cromie, Milltown, Convoy; Mrs. F. D. Townshend, Castlecomer House, Castlecomer.

£2—John J. Ryan, Scarteen, Knocklong; Miss Burton, Adelphi, Corofin; Dr. and Mrs. Watson, 25 Fitzwilliam place; Mrs. O'Neill and Mrs. McKeever, Mitchelstown, Castletown, Navan; J. Armstrong, Blacklion, Co. Cavan; M.I.K.; Jeremiah Meredith, Mountmellick.

£1 11/6.—Drogheda Presbyterian Church (part collection).

£1 7/-.—Glasnevin Parish Church (retiring collection—second contribution); Church of Ireland Congregation Stratford-on-Slaney, Co. Wicklow.

£1 6/-.—A Few Sympathisers.

£1 1/-.—James T. Furney, Ballyfennen, Ballylinan, Athy; Dr. Wallace Boyce, Avoca Cottage, Blackrock; Lt.-Col. and Mrs. F. Evan Wood, Cloghan Castle, Banagher; J. C. Forrest, Kingsfoot, Moynalty, Kells; Mr. and Mrs. H. Murphy, 6 St. John's terrace, Enniscorthy; John H. Lloyd, The Bungalow, Monaghan; R. H. and Mrs. Ryland, Sea Lawn, Sutton; William L. Hodgins, Summerville, Nenagh; H. G. O'Neill, Bank of Ireland, Maryborough; Miss Margaret Willis, High School, Sligo; Anon., Athlone; J. T. A. Orr, 22 O'Connell street, Sligo; Dr. C. W. P. Bradfield, Dr. Steevens's Hospital; W. H. Gaunt, C.B.E., J.P., Ladybarn, Letchworth, Herts; Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Keith, Callinapercy, Milltown, Kerry.

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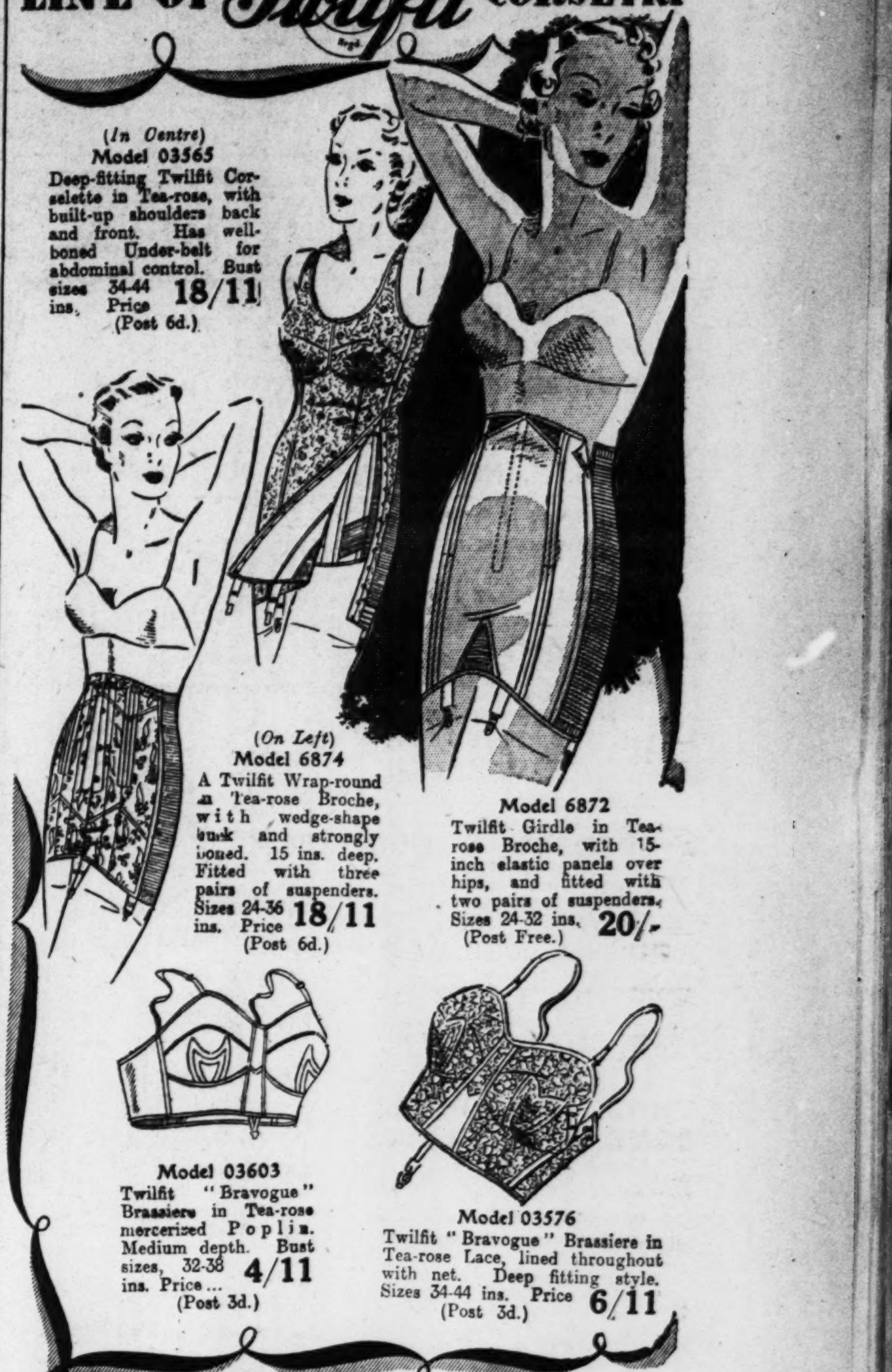

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NEW modern House, large garden, 4½ miles from city, large lounge, diningroom, five family bedrooms, bathroom, with shower; large kitchen, maid's room, cloakroom, with wash basin and lavatory; study; outside lavatory and coals; ample out-offices; immediate possession. Particulars, A 554, this office. 28 C

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SANDFORD—Large twelve-roomed Residence, with well stocked gardens, double garage; suit Nursing Home or Boarders; low price.—Hamilton and Hamilton, 60 Dawson street. 28 O

WEST Ireland—Cottages, Villas, Residences, Fishing Lodges, Hotels, Shops for Sale.—Browne and Co., Auctioneers, Galway and Westport. 25 D

6 ST. Mary's road, Ballsbridge—Detached, pre-war non-basement Residence; good gardens, 4 reception rooms, 6 family and 1 maid's bedrooms, kitchen and usual offices, space for garage. Auction, Thursday, 15th May, at 2.30 p.m.—Hamilton and Hamilton, 60 Dawson street. 28 X

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HOUSES TO LET.

A SUPERIOR, semi-detached, red brick House, furnished or unfurnished, Rathgar vicinity; 3 reception, 4 bedrooms, maid's room, etc.; large gardens (back planted in potatoes); moderate rent.—Henry Connolly, 15 D'Olier street. 28 D

AT Ballsbridge—Non-basement, 8-roomed House, perfect order, £96, inclusive.—McMahon, 136 Stephen's Green.

BALLSBRIDGE—Modern, 3 and 4 bedroom, 2 reception, garage, kitchen, gardens; rent from £96 free.—Modern Homes Ltd., Gilford road, Sandymount. 'Phone 63486. 24 B

BALLSBRIDGE—Attractive, modern House; garden garage.—Key, 12 Serpentine road. 28 X

BLACKROCK—Beautiful Bungalow; 3 bedrooms, 2 reception, bathroom, electric light and gas; garage, large garden front and rear; £96, inclusive.—A 565, this office.

BLACKROCK—To be Let, furnished, an exceptionally attractive, non-basement House, detached, with garden and tennis court, garage, etc.; diningroom, drawingroom, breakfastroom, cloakroom; 4 bedrooms, maid's room bathroom; electric light.—James H. North and Co., Agents, 110 Grafton street.

CHARLEVILLE Lodge, Charleville road, Cabra. Inspection 12 to 2 daily. 25 D

CHAPELIZOD—Detached, pre-war House, 5 bedrooms, garden, outoffices, £90, free; Dundrum, 3d. fare Grafton street; Bungalows and Houses, from £78, free; Clontarf, £90; Killester, £84.—Browne and Dowse, 2 Dawson street.

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FURNISHED, non-basement House, Ballsbridge, in perfect condition, to be Let for six months; three large reception and five bedrooms, etc. Address "Z 1696, House," this office. 26 B

HOUSES for Letting, Furnished and Unfurnished. Apply Prim Bros., 21 Dawson street. X

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WANTED to Rent, Unfurnished, small, sunny House, Rathfarnham road neighbourhood; state inclusive rent.—R O 598, Irish Times Branch Office, Rathmines.

WANTED to Purchase, Castleknock or Cabra, good Residence, three reception, four bedrooms, on about one acre.—Holden, Auctioneers, Saint Andrew street. 28 D

WANTED, Furnished House, 6 months, Rathmines area.—Arthur Jones, 10 Stephen's Green.

Mr. Jack B. Yeats inspecting exhibits before opening the Water-colour Society's Exhibition in Mills' Hall, Dublin, yesterday.

THEATRE ROYAL

Arthur Sinclair is appearing at the Theatre Royal this week in a one-act comedy sketch, "Special Pleading," by Bernard Duffy. The piece, which introduces two "burglars"—one of them Irish and the other Cockney—opens to the accompaniment of an appropriate air, and gives the Irishman opportunities, not only to declare his belief in fairies, but to defend, with his eloquence, a beautiful "ghost" that had crossed his vision during his nocturnal searching with his comrade in crime. Arthur Sinclair had a genuine welcome last night, and, supported by Stanley Illsley, Mairin Hayes and Charles Keogh, presented an amusing playlet.

Robert Irwin was very popular in a song scena, in which his baritone voice was eminently suited to his choice of popular melodies and ballads. Harry Bailey was an entertaining comedian, who, with Jack Welch, contributed many enjoyable interludes. Vera Troy and Jack Cruise also contributed comedy items, as well as singing, and the former artiste was a very nimble and graceful dancer.

The twelve Royal Violettes were rhythmic and picturesque dancers. A. Gordon Spicer was at the organ. "Melody Ranch" was the film.

OLYMPIA

There are three good sketches in the revue, "Flying Colours," which was produced last night at Olympia, Dublin, before a well-entertained audience. The artists are: Phil Murtagh and his Band, in which Jimmy O'Brien, Bert Lena, Peter Goodman, Vie Kaye, Martin Crosby, Norma Barry, and the Olympia Girls take many rôles. "The Wedding at Gretna Green" was a capital little scena, with pretty ballet. "The Girl at the Ironing Board," all a washing-day affair, with pyjamas, shirts, and sheets on the line, while song, fun, and dancing go before, was enjoyed. Martin Crosby's good tenor voice was well applauded, and equal encomiums were accorded the singing of Norma Barry. An acceptable item was the screen interlude—"Jimmy Fiddler's Personality Parade."

QUEEN'S THEATRE

"April Fooling," the musical comedy with its stream of fun from the pen of Frank O'Donovan, was repeated deservedly last night at the Queen's Theatre, Dublin, and should continue to attract throughout the week. It is a blend of music and mirth, with a very fine spectacular finale.

IRISH TOURIST ASSOCIATION

PLEA FOR IMPROVED HOLIDAY RESORTS

Proposals for the improvement of holiday resorts as a means of relieving unemployment are being sent to the Minister for Industry and Commerce by the Irish Tourist Association. The directors of the Association consider that the plans would provide productive employment for thousands of workers, and result in the creation of many amenities which would induce a larger proportion of Irish people to spend their holidays in Ireland, and would also lead to the attraction of a greater volume of overseas traffic when conditions return to normal.

At a recent meeting of the Irish Tourist Association, directors' sympathy was expressed with the people of Belfast and other bombed areas in Northern Ireland. The Association has decided to offer the Ulster Tourist Association every facility or co-operation which that body may require in restoring its normal services to the tourist industry.

"MRS. WARREN'S PROFESSION"

"Mrs. Warren's Profession," one of George Bernard Shaw's first and most original plays, is being produced at the Gate Theatre by Longford Productions, beginning to-night. The part of Mrs. Warren is played by Jane Aird, with Cathleen Delany as her daughter, while the members of her circle are presented by Ronald Ibbs, Blake Gifford, Hamlyn Benson and Michael Ripper.

ABBEY THEATRE

Louis D'Alton's play, "The Money Doesn't Matter," has been retained at the Abbey Theatre, Dublin. The play, when originally produced, caught on with the first-night audience, and the excellent players in it have been welcomed every night since.

Young Farmer Killed.—Peter McGeough (19), Cookstown House, Ardee, died in the Ardee District Hospital yesterday. With a number of companions he was cycling towards home from Tallanstown, where they had attended a dance in the village hall, and at Pepperstown Cross, a mile from home, he was fatally injured in a collision with a motor-car belonging to Mr. Francis Gorman, Ardee. The driver was Mr. John Mathews, Tisdale street, who was also returning from the dance hall with passengers.

IRISH NEWS IN BRIEF

Negligent Driving.—At Balbriggan District Court yesterday Thomas Pearson, Summerhill, Dublin, was fined £3 for negligently driving a motor lorry at Lusk.

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New District Justice.—Mr. M. J. C. Keane, M.A., LL.B., solicitor, Castlerea, has been appointed a District Justice for Carrick-on-Shannon, in room of Mr. J. H. Rice, who has retired on reaching the age-limit.

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Road Transport Act Fine.—At Balbriggan District Court yesterday, John N. Grace and Nicholas Grace, 148 Richmond road, Dublin, were charged, under the Road Transport Act, with carrying merchandise for reward. After hearing the evidence, the District Justice dismissed the charge against John N. Grace, and imposed a fine of £5 on Nicholas Grace.

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Papers at Royal Irish Academy.—Mr. G. F. Mitchell read a paper, "The Reindeer in Ireland," to members of the Royal Irish Academy in Dublin yesterday. Professor E. Schrodinger read a paper on the solution of wave-equations for non-vanishing rest mass, including a source function.

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Unstamped Cards.—At Belfast Summons Court yesterday, Francis J. Conway, of Bellevue Park, Belfast, was fined 40/- in each of two cases for failing to stamp the cards of an employé. Defendant, who had a previous conviction for a like offence, was ordered to pay £6 6/6 arrears. For a similar offence David J. White, Ballysillan Park, was fined 5/- and ordered to pay £2 6/8 arrears with 31/- costs.

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Dublin Child's Death.—A verdict in accordance with the medical evidence—that death was due to shock and hæmorrhage—was returned at an inquest held yesterday in Sir Patrick Dun's Hospital, Dublin, by Dr. D. A. MacErlean on Joan Grace (2½), of 4 Londonbridge road, who was killed instantly when she ran in front of a breadvan and was knocked down on Saturday. The driver of the van was exonerated from blame.

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Fined for Larceny.—At Balbriggan District Court yesterday Nicholas Cunningham, High street, Balbriggan, was charged with the larceny of a box of butter, valued £4 8/-, from Mrs. O'Reilly, Bridge street, Balbriggan, and with the larceny of a bicycle from Patrick Byrne, Strifeland, Skerries. He was fined £1 on each charge, and was ordered to pay £4 and £1 5/- respectively compensation to the owners of the stolen property.

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Rate for I.T.A. Withheld.—At Dublin County Council yesterday criticism was made of a grant of £1,998 (¾d. in the £) to the Irish Tourist Association, and it was decided to withhold payment and refer the matter to the Law Agent. Mr. P. Belton said that it was a "cock-eyed notion" at a time when they were ready to evacuate people from Dublin and Dun Laoghaire. The money could better be used for turf-cutting

WORK OF ST. JOHN AMBULANCE BRIGADE

Mr. J. P. MacNamara, Assistant Commissioner, St. John Ambulance Brigade, was the speaker at the Dublin Rotary Club luncheon in the Gresham Hotel yesterday. He said that when the organisation and staffing of the A.R.P. first aid and casualty service for Dublin and Dun Laoghaire was entrusted to the Brigade they had just a thousand trained members, but had since brought their service strength to almost 2,000. The first aid posts were fitted and ready for immediate occupation, and equipment was held in readiness. In addition to the area posts, six mobile units had been established, which were really mobile stations, as they carried all equipment and dressings, doctors, nurses and ambulance personnel. It was hoped that facilities would be given by employers for the release of casualty workers should a daytime call be made. A mobile canteen had been acquired, and an efficient staff had volunteered for this unit.

Referring to work in connection with the Northern evacuees, he said that the Red Cross Society should be congratulated on the way they had met that most difficult emergency.

Mr. A. H. Pearson, who presided, read a letter from Mr. J. H. Norritt, President of the Rotary Club of Belfast, expressing gratitude of Northern Ireland for assistance from Eire after the recent bombing.

BUSINESS, BUSINESS PREMISES, LANDS, ETC.

ABBEY Motors Garage, Bray; suit factory; Auction To-morrow, 2.30, at 10 Stephen's Green.—Allen and Townsend. 26 C

EXTENSIVE Premises, floor area 4,500 feet, vicinity Upper O'Connell street, Dublin; suitable for factory, store, garage, or body building business; up-to-date accommodation; rear entrance; lease 84 years unexpired. For particulars apply A 480 this office. 25 B

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£152 PER Annum net out of 4 Lock-up Shops, south suburbs; price £1,350.—Jackson Stops and McCabe, 35 Kildare street. 25 B

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ATTRACTIVE selection Furnished and Unfurnished Flats and Houses for Letting, city and suburbs.—"Ideal Apartments Agency," 6 Nassau street. 26 B

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AT 10 Leinster Square, Rathmines—Furnished 2-Room Flat; suit ladies. Seen 5.30-6.30. 25 B

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A FURNISHED Bed-Sittingroom, in basement, kitchenette; suit one lady. Apply side door, 17 Northumberland road.

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BED-SITTINGROOMS, kitchenette; Protestants; Ranelagh.—R O 600, Irish Times Branch Office, Rathmines. 28 C

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